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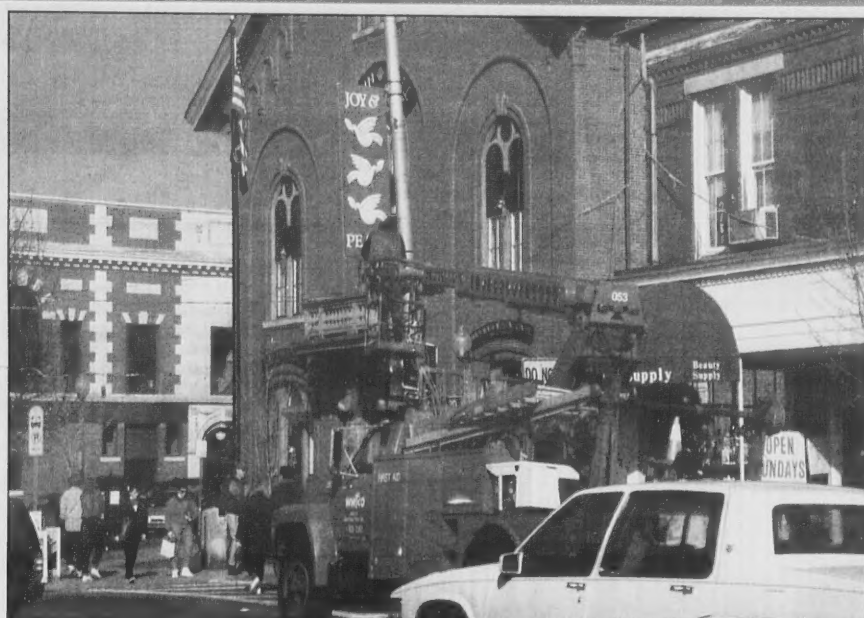


Photo by Lisa Adelsberger

The Andover Center Association raised about \$3,800 for these new Joy and Peace banners that have been installed downtown. Merchants decided that spending about \$1,000 for natural wreaths every year was not financially or environmentally sound. These banners are guaranteed for six seasons and now that the hardware has been purchased, installing other banners for another season would cost only \$70 a banner, said Sean Quinn, president of the Center Association. The banners will be on display for the season and during the downtown's Holiday Open House tomorrow, Friday, 6-10 p.m. For more about the open house, see page 54.

Downtown business has new energy

By Don Staruk

Here, individual Andover merchants are faring at the start of this year's holiday shopping season depends on which merchants you talk with, but most say business is great and that the downtown has a more upbeat feel to it than it has had in a long time.

"When you walk down the sidewalk you can tell there's a kind of

Owner of Athlete's Corner buys Barnard Building; page 4.

energy that just a year ago would have been repressed," said Sean Quinn, president of the Andover Center Association and who, along with his family, owns and runs the

Strawberry Tree card and gift shop, 13 Main St. "I hear it from the customers. They come in and say, 'The downtown is looking good.'"

Steve Leed, co-owner of the new Royal Jewelers store on Main Street, said his business is soaring.

"It's great. The numbers are way, way up. People are buying."

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A helpful TIP for those suffering trauma

By Neil Fater

It was deep into the September night when Jayan Conlin, her husband, Paul, and her young daughter were stirred by strange sounds. They were the sounds of a screen being cut below the couple's bedroom window.

"I was in my bedroom. It was four o'clock in the morning," she said. "I was looking down on him (the

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intruder) and I said, 'Paul, there's someone trying to break into our

house!'"

Ms. Conlin called the police, but while she was on the phone she heard the smashing of glass from the first-floor window. She said she felt the security of their home had been shattered as well.

"I'm saying to the police, 'He's in my house now!'" she said. "The three of us were feeling trapped in

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Kaija Gilmore named building inspector

By Alix Driscoll

Kaija M. Gilmore was appointed Andover's building inspector by Town Manager Buzz Stapczynski Monday night. The Board of Selectmen approved the appointment. The position was made available by the retirement of long-time building inspector, Sam DeSalvo.



Kaija M. Gilmore, the new building inspector.

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Andovers meet in unique Christmas swap

By Neil Fater

To the bright holiday lights around town, a group from Andover, England, intends to add a healthy amount of "camera, action!"

A production team from Town Television Ltd., an English television company, is coming to town the weekend of Dec. 10 to capture Andover, Mass., in its glowing holiday garb.

"They want to see how Andover, Mas-

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UPDATE NEWS

The following is a new feature that will run from time to time in the Townsman. Readers who have wondered, "Whatever happened to ..." are invited to phone the editorial staff at 475-1943 to offer topic suggestions for a brief explanation in Update News.

Town youth coordinator

Applicants for the position of youth coordinator were scheduled to be interviewed yesterday, Wednesday, Dec. 1, and today, Thursday, Dec. 2.

Teen Council

The student members for the Teen Council have been identified, and the ad hoc group will continue to develop an electoral process, under which graduating seniors can be replaced on the council. A meeting is planned with the Our Town group on Monday, Dec. 6. Andover High School Junior David Charland is the student chairperson of the council.

Inclusion

The issue of inclusion in Andover public schools will continue to be discussed at upcoming meetings of the School Committee and the school administration.

Library renovations

Memorial Hall Library has raised \$40,000 of the estimated \$60,000 needed for the proposed renovations to the front of the building. The amount estimated for the renovations has come down from the original \$80,000 cost due to Andover Garden Club donations and the change in the cost of materials. Approximately 200 bricks have been sold at \$50

per brick as part of the fund-raising efforts. Renovations will not begin until the ground thaws in the spring.

Train whistles

The Department of Public Utilities has completed its third day of public hearings regarding the issue of train whistles being blown in Andover, and one more day of hearings remain. The hearings are held in the offices of the Department of Public Utilities, 100 Cambridge St., Boston.

Residents complained that the whistles are being blown louder and more frequently than was previous practice. Selectmen have petitioned the DPU for complete elimination of the whistle blowing.

There has been some discussion at the hearings about an automated horn system for crossings as an alternative to the horns. The horn system is currently being field tested in Gary, Neb.

Justin's reopened

Justin's of Andover restaurant, on Park Street, is re-opened after being closed last month for financial problems.

Accused rapist still in jail


Accused rapist Philip D. Therberge, 18, of 208 Beacon St., Andover, and 97 Greenfield St., Lawrence, is still being held on \$5,000 bail on charges he raped a 13-year old girl at a house party on River Road on Sunday, Oct. 17. He also faces charges for allegedly raping and fondling two girls at a house party in

North Andover on July 24.


He pleaded innocent to three counts of rape and abuse, three counts of indecent assault and battery and one count of assault

and battery in Salem Superior Court on Nov. 22.

The case was continued to Jan. 3 for a discovery conference hearing.



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NEWS IN BRIEF

Workshop is about inclusion

Officials from the American Institute for Creative Education in Augusta, Maine, announced that they will offer a one-day educator workshop in Andover. This program, entitled "Inclusion, Integration and Mainstreaming (K-8)," is set for Tuesday, Dec. 14.

This course is designed for classroom teachers who have concerns about the practical implementation of inclusion/integration and who are willing to share relevant experiences. The hands-on practical course will provide participants with new ideas to try out immediately in their classroom. No special background is required.

This course will focus on setting performance expectations and evaluating the results; peer tutoring and other instructional resources; reading in the content areas: an example in math; monitoring and setting goals, teachers and students; social skills and attitudes: "What can we do about them?"; teaching that makes a difference outside of the classroom; and spreading the word: communication with parents.

Dr. Leroy Clinton, specialist in the education of the mentally retarded and learning disabled child, will be the seminar leader.

For brochure and registration information, contact the American Institute for Creative Education, 23 University Drive, Augusta, Maine, 04330, or call 1-800-448-5343 or (207) 622-5662.

UNICEF cards on sale Saturday

The League of Women Voters of Andover will sell holiday cards at Shawmut Bank in downtown Andover from 9 a.m. to noon on Saturday, Dec.

4. Proceeds will directly aid children throughout the world to live healthier lives through immunization programs, investment in safe water systems and support to literacy projects.

The holiday greeting cards, birthday cards, games and stationery assortments are printed on recycled paper whenever possible.

Winter parking ban in effect

The winter parking ban for all Andover streets began this Wednesday, Dec. 1, at 12:01 a.m., and continues until April 1.

No parking is allowed on any town streets, or in municipal parking lots including the school lots, between the hours of 1-6 a.m.

Violators face a \$15 fine and, in the event that it does snow, possibly having their vehicles towed.

Free glucose clinic scheduled

The Andover Health Department will hold a glucose screening clinic for Andover residents over 60 years of age who are not known diabetics at the Andover Senior Center, Whittier Street, Wednesday, Dec. 8, from 8 to 10 a.m. A grant from the Andover Home for the Aged is funding this screening so there will be no charge. Call the Senior Center at 470-3830 for an appointment.

The fingerstick blood test requires no food or drink, except water, for at least three hours prior to the test. Blood glucose levels will be available in a few minutes. The screening will provide information about diabetic risk factors and symptoms of diabetes. Counseling and referral to a person's private physician will be provided to those with elevated glucose levels.

For more information, call the

Andover Health Department at 470-3800, Ext. 255.

Newt Gingrich to speak here

U.S. Congressman Newt Gingrich, R-Georgia, will be the featured speaker at a fund-raising breakfast for Congressman Peter Torkildsen, R-Danvers, at the Andover Marriott Friday, Dec. 3, at 7:45 a.m.

Mr. Gingrich, the next leader of Republicans in the U.S. House of Representatives, will be in Massachusetts for a variety of stops, including the fund-raiser for Mr. Torkildsen.

"Newt Gingrich is the reason President Clinton was successful in the passage of NAFTA (North American Free Trade Agreement) and I am very happy to have him be the featured guest at my breakfast," Mr. Torkildsen said.

People interested in attending should call the Citizens for Torkildsen Committee office at 977-9600.

\$5K arts grants are available

Grants of up to \$5,000 each are available to artists in the categories of choreography, fiction and poetry from the new Artist Grants Program of the Massachusetts Cultural Council (MCC), a state agency. The Artist Grants Program provides direct support to artists in recognition of exceptional work. Categories of support will rotate over a two-year cycle.

In order to increase awareness of artists in Massachusetts, the MCC will work with grant recipients to document or present their finished work or work in progress to the public.

Application deadline is Jan. 14. For an application, call the MCC's Boston office at 800-232-0960 / TTY 617-727-0044. Written requests should be addressed to the MCC at 80 Boylston St., Boston, Mass. 02116-4802.

Quote, unquote . . .

"The downtown has become vibrant and alive and new businesses are opening at a rapid pace and appear to be doing well."

Elliot R. Aronson, in a letter to the editor, page 45

"I guess that it was intuition which led me down to the Doherty Middle School to investigate the sex-ed program and I was shocked at what I found."

Helen Taylor, in a letter to the editor, page 45

"You've seen or heard about them before: the golf nuts who continue to pull on their plaid pants, even in the most frigid of November weather."

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Athlete's Corner owner buys Barnard Building

By Don Staruk

Tom Belhumeur, owner of Athlete's Corner sporting goods stores, was scheduled to close on the purchase of the Barnard Building, 10-16 Main St., today, Thursday.

"The offer has been made and accepted," Mr. Belhumeur said Wednesday morning. "We have a tentative passing scheduled for tomorrow. If it doesn't happen then, it will happen on Monday."

Mr. Belhumeur is paying \$2.1 million for the building, which has 42,000 square feet of leasable space, 26,000 of which is currently rented.

"The entire basement is empty," Mr. Belhumeur said.

"I love the building," Mr. Belhumeur said. "I think it's the crown jewel of Main Street. And I love Andover."

"When I look at Andover's Main Street, it's one of the few remaining vibrant Main Streets left. It's exciting. People support the businesses in the community, and it's a two-way street."

The businesses also back the schools and local fund raisers, he said. "It's a great synergy between the businesses and the community."

Mr. Belhumeur owns the Athlete's Corner stores, which consists of four



Photo by Lisa Adelsberger

The Barnard Building, 10-16 Main St.

stores, including the one at 8 Main St. on the first floor of the Barnard Building. His office is in his original store in Swampscott, where he also has his warehouse. He also owns commercial property in New York.

"Obviously I think it's a good investment," he said of the Barnard Building. "I think it's a fabulous investment. I think Andover is very strong economically. I think the business climate in Andover has really turned the corner."

He pointed to the changes just in the Barnard Building, where new businesses opened in the past year include Vincenzo's Italian restaurant, Silverado athletic club, Chocolate by Design and Bruegger's Bagel Bakery.

"They're all doing well," he said.

He also pointed to the Daher's Shoes and CVS/Pharmacy expansions, and the relocations of Kaps Menswear and Royal Jewelers as indicators of the positive changes

downtown. But then he came back to his own building.

"This building is the pulse of Main Street right now. It's a happening building. It's a fun building."

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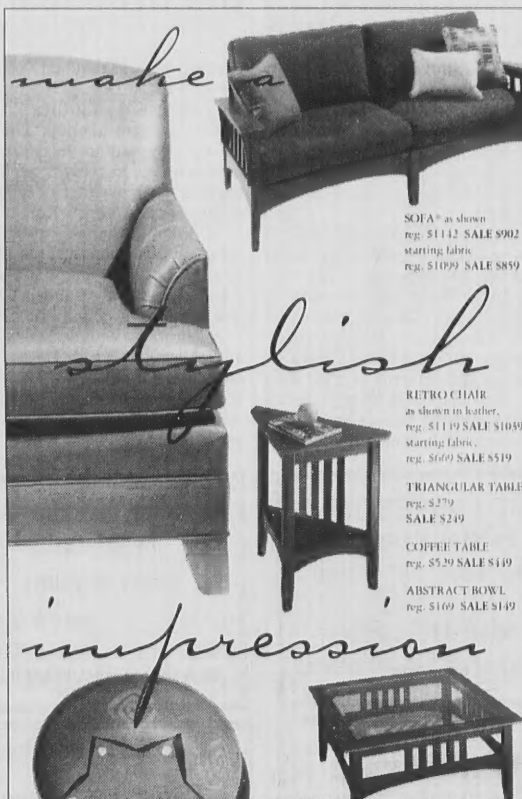
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Barnard Building

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It's got the established crowd with Ford's Coffee Shop, the new crowd with Bruegger's and Vincenzo's, and the athletic crowd with Athlete's Corner and Silverado, he said.

"The beauty of the whole thing is the town has embraced the whole idea of let's let business do business. The town is behind business. It's not anti-business in any way. They recognize the value of both sides. I like to use that word 'synergy' between the business and the community."

The attendance at the annual Taste of Andover business mixer is a prime example of that synergy, Mr. Belhumeur said. "It was just a positive spin on the whole thing," he said of that event.

Major retailers seek space

He is not alone in his feelings about Andover, he said. "I myself am talking to three national tenants right now who are extremely interested in this building, and not so much this building, they are very interested in Andover. Obviously I can't tell you who they are, but they come to Andover and they drool over this Main Street."

Mr. Belhumeur first looked at Main Street for a possible store three years ago. "I could have had the pick of the litter of stores on Main Street."

Many stores were vacant, "the

town was dead. "It was not attractive," Mr. Belhumeur said.

He saw the Barnard Building at the time and, despite the vacant store fronts, could "tell all it needed was TLC."

The town then got on board with business and helped revitalize the downtown, he said.

"They did it right. I think what you've got here is specialty stores," that provide specialty items and personal service.

"You have owner-operated stores, and even the national stores that come in, they adapt to what's here. They adapt to where they are."

Mr. Belhumeur opened the Athlete's Corner here in May 1992. "Our business is good here. We see growth. We're having double-digit increases, 1993 versus 1992, every month."

But he will not expand the Andover Athlete's Corner store, he said. "I don't want to change the flavor of a specialty store."

Goal for building

"My goal is to occupy the building 100 percent, while keeping in mind the existing businesses, and create the right mix. I'm not in a hurry to rent out to just anybody."

Mr. Belhumeur said that, financially, he doesn't have "a gun" to his head to get income coming in. "I'm not in any rush to take the first guy who comes along. I'm going to scrutinize for

the right tenants."

"I'm really excited about the challenge in front of me, to finish the leasing of the rest of the space. If anybody's got any great ideas, feel free to call me."

Mr. Belhumeur has retained all the service contracts for the building, although he will take over management responsibilities for the property. But he had only good things to say about Bruk Co., the property management company that handled the building for the bank, and of Bruk Co. president, Paul Bruk Jr.

"He was a tough manager, but he oversaw the expansion of this building. He took great pains in making sure things worked well. Even though we had our battles, he had a

vision for this building and I think the Bruk Co. should be given some credit for the way the transition of this building turned out."

"Look at the result. This is truly a gorgeous building. I've had two national tenants who would commit right now to any one of the stores on the street level, if anyone of them comes up."

Mr. Belhumeur is looking forward to becoming more involved in the community, including possibly setting up a Barnard Building scholarship, and supporting other needs in the town.

"I haven't been this excited about a purchase in a long time, and I've been dabbling in real estate 16 years."

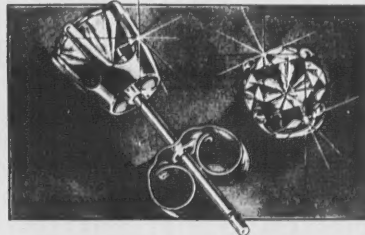


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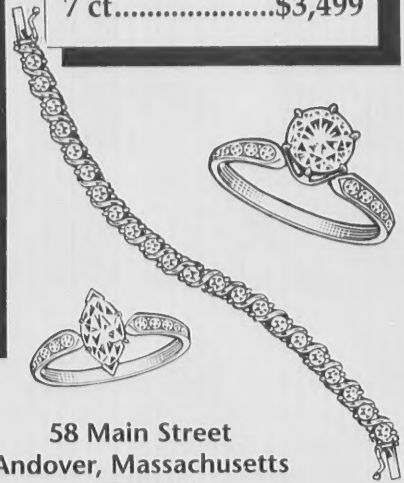
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New business in town Crafts are big business

By Alix Driscoll

High quality crafts are greatly valued in the Andover community. Patricia Howes should know. She owns The Wishing Well, at 38 Florence St., a store that features gifts handmade by 75 area craftspeople.

"Business is excellent. People locally make, and people locally buy," said Ms. Howes.

She said children's items are selling particularly well. Among the heirlooms-in-the making is a hardwood play table and chairs custom-painted with sun, moon, clouds and rainbow, a special order for a holiday gift.

Ms. Howes said she enjoys the opportunity to work with her neighbor shopkeepers in the second floor of the beige Victorian house on the corner of Florence Street. She often takes her 10-inch Shaker-design oval wooden boxes next door to be filled with goodies from

the Surprise Box. Her Vera Bradley soft-sided luggage can be monogrammed at the Kreative Kin.

This is Ms. Howes' second holiday season in Andover. Before opening her business she worked for 30 years with AT&T doing sales and marketing. She took early retirement, and then looked for a new career.

"Retail is totally different. You have to be dedicated to it and encourage the craftspeople," she said.

Among the custom services she offers are house portraits on pine or hardwood coffee tables and pictures of local landmarks on wooden apples.

Adorning a shelf in the east and south corners are two-foot painted and individually-dressed dolls. Ms. Howes explained these friendly creatures were constructed by a woman in a neighboring community awaiting a

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Photo by Lisa Adelsberger

Patricia Howes shows off some of the high-quality craft items that she sells from her business, The Wishing Well, located at 38 Florence St. That Victorian building also houses the Surprise Box and a monogramming business, Kreative Kin.



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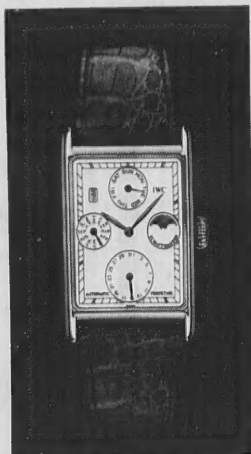
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New store aims to cure winter-time golfing blues

By Neil Fater

You've seen or heard about them before: the golf nuts who continue to pull on their plaid pants, even in the most frigid of November weather. The ones who will drive until it becomes too cold to grip the club. The golfers who consider a rainy day just another version of a water hazard.

It is in part because of these people that Jim Towle has opened one of Andover's newest businesses, Dr. Golf.

"Golf is a sport that isn't going away," he said. "It's a sport played in the Merrimack Valley as long as there's not snow on the ground."

Mr. Towle opened his shop in mid-November to take advantage of both the Christmas rush and this growing interest in golf. He said his shop at 199 North Main St. in Shaw-Heen Plaza is the only off-course, custom-fit shop in Andover. It is located on the side of the building that also contains Grassfields



Jim Towle, Dr. Golf

Food & Spirits.

"The primary business is custom-made, custom-fit clubs, and then repairs," he said.

Crafts are big business at Wishing Well

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lung transplant. The craftswoman survived the operation and is now designing girl elves for the holidays.

Ms. Howes offers an emerald velvet stegosaurus and Winnie the Pooh characters for mythical beast collectors. A cleverly-

designed "quillow," which is a pillow that unwraps to become a lap quilt, comes in several patterns from serviceable patterns for visiting youngsters to fancy designs to complement wicker furniture.

The Wishing Well is open Tuesday-Saturday, 10 a.m.-5 p.m., and by appointment.

However, the store also offers a driving and a putting area to try out equipment, and has golf bags, head covers, hats, gloves, ties, towels, balls and other golf items available for purchase.

"I want to stress that it's an open, friendly atmosphere," he said. "People can stop by, hit a few balls, say hello, or putt on the putting green."

"I'm looking for a PGA professional to teach out of here in the

off-season or maybe in the on-season."

So, while Dr. Golf won't be able to help with any elbow or knee problems, "he" might, in the future, be able to cure a slice or another golfing ailment.

Mr. Towle said that he was a golf sales representative for several years and that he has worked on custom-made, custom-fit clubs "as a semi-whole-

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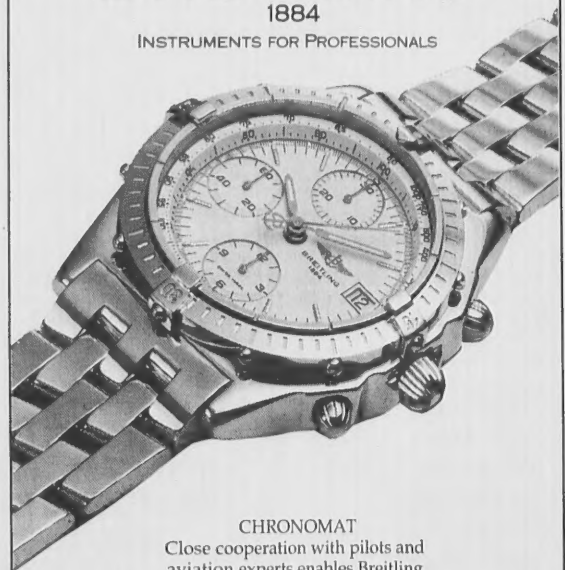
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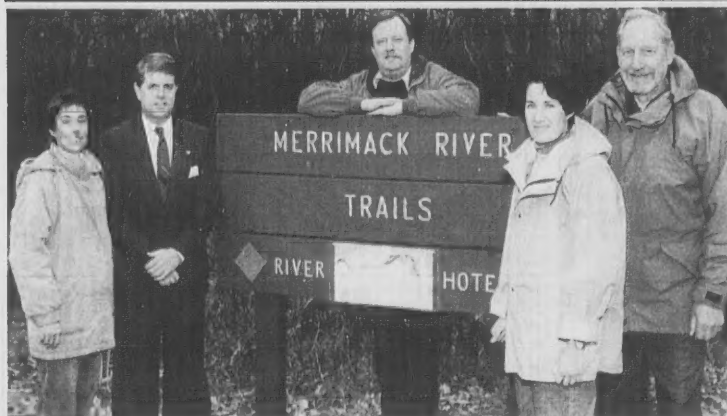
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The Andover Marriott recently opened access for parking for the Merrimack River Trail. Showing the way are, from left, Kathy Hersh, trails coordinator for the Merrimack River Watershed Council; Charlie Clist, general manager at the Andover Marriott; Dave Archibald, senior engineer at the Andover Marriott; Liz Tentarelli, chairwoman of the Andover Trails Committee; and Robert Pustell, chairman of the Andover Conservation Committee.

Marriott Hotel allows access to the Merrimack River Trail

The Merrimack River Trail, a scenic public pathway through conservation land along the Merrimack River from Tyngsboro to Newburyport, is now accessible at the Andover Marriott. The hotel recently cleared a pathway to the river, installed visible trail markers and will allow free parking for walkers, hikers, horseback riders, cross-country skiers and off-road bicyclists who wish to enjoy the trail.

The river trail access was cleared by hotel senior engineer, Dave Archibald, an outdoors enthusiast who contacted the Andover Trails Committee, a group of individuals and organizations committed to preserving non-motorized trails in Andover.

"We are pleased at Dave's involvement with the Trails Committee and his initiative

with this project," said Charles Clist, hotel general manager. "The trail access will enhance the quality of life in our community as well as enable our ecologically-minded hotel guests to enjoy the beauty and nature of Andover."

In addition to access to the trail, the Andover Marriott has committed to providing free parking to trail users.

"Until now, access to the Merrimack River Trail in Andover could be obtained at sites with limited off-street parking," said Liz Tentarelli, chairwoman of the Andover Trails Committee. "Not only is the hotel providing access at a prime location of the trail, it is also a convenient, safe place to start out for a day of enjoying the great outdoors."

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Andover Animal Hospital again receives accreditation

Andover Animal Hospital has again received accreditation following a comprehensive evaluation by the American Animal Hospital Association.

The evaluation includes a quality assessment review of the clinic's facility, medical equipment, practice methods and pet health care management. Less than 14 percent of small animal veterinary facilities in the United States are hospital members of the association. Andover Animal Hospital must be evaluated regularly by the association's

trained consultants to maintain accredited status.

The American Animal Hospital Association is an international association of more than 11,000 veterinarians who treat companion animals, such as dogs and cats.

The association was established in 1933 and is known in the veterinary field for its high standards for hospitals and pet health care.

Andover Animal Hospital has been a hospital member of the association since 1978.

Justine Croteau receives scholarship for convention

Justine Croteau, a guidance counselor at Lawrence High School, was awarded a scholarship by the New England Association of College Admissions Counselors to attend the 1993 convention at the University of Maine at Farmington.

Each year NEACAC awards a convention scholarship to counselors who have been nominated by their peers as a worthy candidate for this special award. NEACAC represents more than 2,100

individual members and more than 800 institutions who work directly with students as they make decisions and choices about college.

Mrs. Croteau earned a bachelor's degree in sociology at Trinity College in Washington, D.C., and master's degree of education in counseling at Salem State College.

She lives in Andover with her husband and three children.

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Marriott allows access to Merrimack River Trail

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River trails play an important role in the conservation of green space in Andover and other communities. The Andover Trails Committee works with the Merrimack River Watershed Council, the Andover Conservation Commission, AVIS (Andover Village Improvement Society), the Appalachian Mountain Club and a number of individuals and companies interested in preserving non-motorized trails, including walking paths, cross-country ski trails, canoe routes and jogging, bicycle and bridle paths.

"Our goal is to increase awareness among local residents of the natural beauty in our communities," said Kathy Hersh, trails coordinator for the Merrimack River Watershed Council, who sets up trail programs in towns situated along the river. "In addition to an increased sensitivity to the environment, the trails programs

'More individuals are needed to "adopt" parts of the trail.'

encourage people to have a greater appreciation and take better care of our ecological surroundings."

"We rely on peo-

ple like Dave Archibald and companies like Marriott to help in our efforts to preserve conservation lands like the Merrimack River

Trail," said Robert Pustell, chairman of the Andover Conservation Commission. "More individuals are needed to 'adopt' parts of the trail to

help oversee, maintain and keep them litter free."

In addition to helping the Andover committee of the Appalachian Mountain Club build a foot bridge connecting the Merrimack River Trail with Lawrence, the Andover Trails Committee is cur-

rently working to link the trail to the Bay Circuit Alliance, a proposed 180-mile continuous green space from Ipswich, around Boston, to Duxbury. The Bay Circuit comes through Andover, too.

People who want to hike the Merri-

mack River Trail can find at the northern edge of the parking area at Andover Marriott, located at 123 Old River Road.

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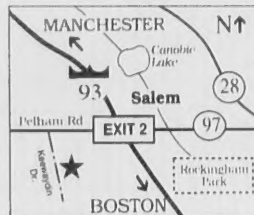
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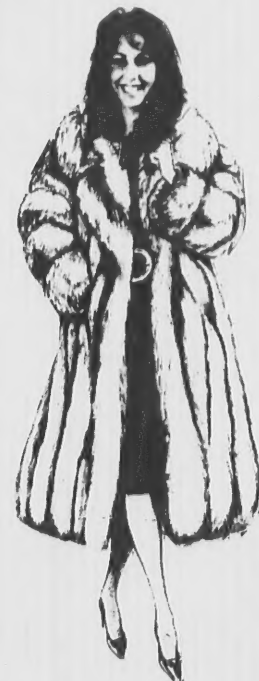
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▲ Pictured above are Men of Merrimack officers James L. Conlon of Andover, first vice president; Timothy Brennan of Lowell, president; the Rev. John E. Deegan, O.S.A., president of Merrimack College; Karl Gladstone of North Andover, director; and Jerome Jozack of Lawrence, second vice president. The men are celebrating the club's endowment fund being pushed past \$1 million.

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Men of Merrimack push endowment fund past \$1M

Members of the Men of Merrimack recently celebrated pushing the group's endowment fund figure past the \$1 million mark.

Reaching the \$1 million mark was due, mainly, to the bequest of the late Roger Bower, former Men of Merrimack president. The local banking executive was instrumental in establishing the

endowment some years ago.

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Walter E. Rodriguez joins Tufts University in engineering

Walter E. Rodriguez of Andover has joined the College of Engineering at Tufts University as the Berger Professor of Civil and Environmental Engineering. The first endowed chair in the College of Engineering is named for 1936 Tufts engineering graduate Louis Berger.

Mr. Rodriguez leads Tufts' efforts in computer-aided engineering and construction management.

He is an architect, certified contractor and a registered engineer in two states and Puerto Rico. Mr. Rodriguez is the author of more than 100 publications and four books and is editor-in-chief of *The Journal of Theoretical Graphics and Computing*. One of his National Science Foundation-funded projects, the Construction Visualizer, uses virtual reality-like technology to simulate a construction site before anything is built. The project has been featured on CNN and PBS and in national magazines.

He has B.S.C.E.

and M.Arch. degrees from the Universidad de Puerto Rico and a Ph.D. degree in civil engineering from the University of Florida. He is a past president of the Society for Theoretical Graphics and

Computing and secretary/treasurer for the International Society for Graphics and Geometry. Mr. Rodriguez is listed in *Who's Who Among Hispanic Americans*. He conceived and developed the

Alliance for Hispanic Engineering Advancement and the PRELECT Network, a database of under-represented Ph.D. faculty and researchers in the United States and Puerto Rico.

Carol Anderson Scalpen is in communications at Xenejenex

Xenejenex Inc., a national health care communications company in Andover, has named Andover resident Carol Anderson Scalpen communications administrator.

Ms. Scalpen will develop public relations programs including building media relations, producing external newsletters and brochures and writing news releases and will provide admin-

istrative support to the CEO, president and CFO.

The 1990 graduate of Simmons College and 1986 graduate of Andover High School was previously public relations assistant at Carney Communications in Andover, a marketing and public relations firm specializing in health care. She is a member of the Public Relations Society of America.

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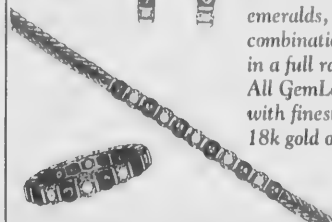
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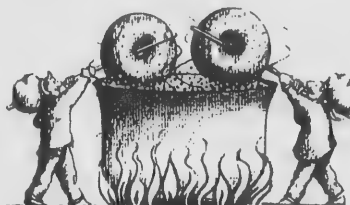
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Trisha Geulakos of Andover is the manager of The Icing at The Shops at Prudential Center in Boston. The Center celebrated its grand opening Oct. 15. Retail sales during opening day topped projections from 25 to 250 percent, said officials of the Center.

Pike School to add to storage facility

Pike School is slated to begin immediately on a storage facility at The Pike School, which is located on Sunset Rock Road.

The 1,998-square-foot addition to the back of the gymnasium will permit better use of other space and improve the flexibility of the physical education program, said school officials.

System Builders Inc. of North Andover is the general contractor for the job.

The projected time for completion is approximately four weeks.

Dr. Allen Tarro writes book on TMJ

Allen W. Tarro, D.M.D. of North Andover recently authored a book titled *TMJ Arthroscopy: A Diagnostic and Surgical Atlas*. The text covers treatment of temporomandibular joint (TMJ) disorders with minimally invasive laser procedures.

TMJ disorders affect thousands of people in Massachusetts and millions of people in the United States and around the world, according to Dr. Tarro.

He has a private practice in oral and maxillofacial surgery in Lowell

and Stoneham and is director of the TMJ/Facial Pain Clinic at Boston University School of Graduate Dentistry and at Northeast Rehabilitation Hospital in Salem, N.H. The graduate of Tufts University School of Dental Medicine has taught and lectured nationally and internationally on the diagnosis and treatment of TMJ disorders.

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Mrs. Vining attended Fisher Junior College and is studying for an associate's degree in banking with the New England Banking Institute.



Stephen A. James

Stephen A. James

Senior Vice President John T. Kerrigan Jr. and Vice President Stephen A. James, of 33 Porter Road, of Leggat McCall/Grubb & Ellis hosted an "Autumn Fireside Real Estate Forum" recently at the West-on Golf Club in Weston.

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Grubb & Ellis, the nation's largest commercial real estate services firm, shared how it is reducing occupancy costs for U.S. corporations. The firm also provided an in-depth analysis of the highlights and trends of today's commercial real estate market.



Curtis A. Siller Jr.

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Dr. Curtis A. Siller Jr. of Andover, a member of technical staff at AT&T Bell Laboratories in North Andover, has been appointed editor-in-chief of the IEEE Communications Magazine. The professional journal is published under the aegis of the Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engi-

neers (IEEE) Communications Society, the second largest and fastest growing society within the 300,000-member Institute.

Mr. Siller is responsible for establishing the overall editorial direction of the journal and administers a global editorial staff of more than 100 individuals, approxi-

mately a third of whom are outside North America. IEEE Communications Magazine is distributed monthly to more than 35,000 subscribers and provides authoritative, tutorial coverage on a topics relevant to the international communications community.

Mr. Siller joined Bell Laboratories in 1969 and has been assigned to the Merrimack Valley facility since 1971. His research contributions have spanned several major areas of communications, including electromagnetic and communication theory, digital signal processing and systems engineering for public and private networks. His most recent work is in

high-speed optical networks and service architectures for delivery of on-demand entertainment video. He has authored nearly 40 papers and holds four patents. Mr. Siller was cited as an AT&T Bell Laboratories Fellow in 1989.

His membership

in the IEEE Communications Society dates back almost 14 years. During that time he has chaired and organized technical sessions for international conferences and, from 1988 to 1992, chaired an IEEE Communications Society technical committee. Prior

to his appointment as editor-in-chief, he served as a technical editor and had been a guest editor of two special issues of the magazine. He was named a Fellow of the IEEE in 1992 and is program chairman and treasurer of the local IEEE Merrimack Valley chapter.



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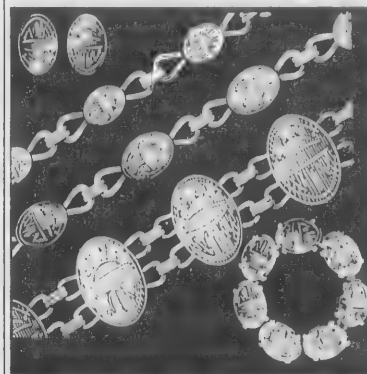
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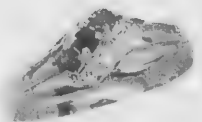
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Town lists October building permits granted

The town of Andover issued the following building permits during October:

Single family

5 Decca Circle, Doherty & Sons Const., \$138,000 (value), \$1,066 (fee); 4 Acorn Drive, Wynwood Assoc., \$203,150 (value), \$1,521 (fee); 5 Acorn Drive, Wynwood Assoc., \$203,000 (value), \$1,521 (fee); 11 Ashford Lane, Charles Carroll, \$200,000 (value), \$1,500 (fee); 6 Coventry Lane, Patch Dev., \$164,000 (value), \$1,241 (fee); 7 Molly Road, Paul Lorenti, \$170,000 (value), \$1,528 (fee); 5 Dandelion Drive, Jim Maguire, \$197,999 (value), \$1,479 (fee); 4 Stone Post Road, Mark Conserva, \$185,000 (value), \$1,395 (fee); 5 Ashford Lane, Charles Carroll, \$177,000 (value), \$1,339 (fee), all for foundations and structures.

Additions and alterations

22 Carter Lane, Ashraf Dahod, finish basement, \$28,000 (value), \$197 (fee); 3 Odyssey Way, William Fitzpatrick, porch, \$5,000 (value), \$36 (fee); 4 Rose Glen Drive, Gary Ryan, shed, \$500 (value), \$15 (fee); 4 Pole Hill Drive, Kevin Bligh, basement alterations, \$6,500 (value), \$50 (fee); 20 Alderbrook Road, Myron Mulse, bathroom alterations, \$3,500 (value), \$29 (fee); 189 River Road, A.S. DiDio, case ment window, \$130 (value), \$15 (fee); 6 Gavin Circle, Jeou-Hwa Wang, deck and porch, \$11,500 (value), \$85 (fee); 4 Shawnee Circle, Robert Shulman, two-story addition, \$35,000 (value), \$246 (fee); 60 Frontage Road, Dynamics Research, extend loading dock, \$4,500 (value), \$36 (fee); 7 Ellsworth Road, Dean Sulender, deck, \$1,100 (value), \$15 (fee); 416 Lowell St., John Mankovich, windows and kitchen cabinets, \$15,000 (value), \$106 (fee); 6 Lucerne Drive, B. Robert Ladeau, deck, \$300 (value), \$15 (fee); 18 Chandler Circle, Robert Bradway, convert porch to four-season sunroom, \$5,925 (value), \$43 (fee); 37 Alderbrook Road, Paul Rauser, finish attic space, \$13,000 (value), \$92 (fee); 121 Andover St., Bill Miller, replace deck, \$1,500 (value), \$15 (fee); 8 Dairy Lane, Antoon Basmaji, shed, \$1,242 (value), \$15 (fee); 9 Linwood St., George Howie, addition, \$65,000 (value), \$456 (fee); 74 Elm St., Connie Ipolito, remodel kitchen, \$9,550 (value), \$71 (fee); 33 Clark Road, Ingrid Bowes, replace window, \$900 (value), \$15 (fee); 5 Vine St., David Nelson, shed, \$500 (value), \$15 (fee); 456 Lowell St., Richard Donovan, pole barn,

\$25,000 (value), \$176 (fee); 29 Gray Road, Tony and Arlene Sophia, replace bow window, \$2,600 (value), \$22 (fee); 8 Seminole Circle, Dave Leary, replace windows and siding, \$10,230 (value), \$71 (fee); 10 Alonesos Way, Chris Armstrong, screen porch, \$15,000 (value), \$106 (fee); 43 Lowell St., Joseph Watson Jr., add moved barn and new loading dock, \$5,000 (value), \$36 (fee); 21 High Plain Road, Robin Lowe, family room and porch, \$29,700 (value), \$211 (fee); 8 Pheasant Run, William Davidson, partition wall, \$2,000 (value), \$15 (fee); 22 Rattlesnake Hill, Michael Angell, finish basement, \$1,500 (value), \$15 (fee); 14 Marland St., Laura Hill, deck, \$900 (value), \$15 (fee); 14 Morton St., Ray Pike, alterations, \$5,000 (value), \$36 (fee); 64 Carmel Road, Domenic Gangli, family room, screen porch and deck, \$18,000 (value), \$127 (fee); 31 Clark Road, James Enor, replace window, \$700 (value), \$15 (fee); 18 Sugarbush Lane, Paul Slovin, remodel basement, \$10,000 (value), \$71 (fee); 8 Lavender Hill Road, Mark Defran cisco, finish family room, \$5,000 (value), \$36 (fee).

Multifamily

55-57 Stevens St., John Bartlett, reroof and strip, \$14,000 (value), \$99 (fee); 6-8 Dale St., Marguerite Christopher, addition, \$12,000 (value), \$85 (fee).

Nonresidential

71 Main St., Nick Aznoian, renovations, \$5,800 (value), \$43 (fee); 300 Brickstone

Square, Andover Mills, renovations, \$804,000 (value), \$5,629 (fee); 1 Elm Square, James Dizzazo, partitions, drywall and doors, \$4,300 (value), \$29 (fee); 1 Tech Drive, Prudential Insurance Co., tenant fitup, \$34,460 (value), \$239 (fee); 138 River Road, New Boston Shuttuck Lmt., tenant fitup, \$2,800 (value), \$22 (fee); 300 Brickstone Square, Andover Mills Realty, demo only entire

interior, \$31,000 (value), \$218 (fee).

Other

429 South Main St., Robert Lundstrom, vinyl siding, \$3,000 (value), \$22 (fee); West Middle School, Sam Pino Amusements, Wacky Shack, \$15 (fee); 358 Salem St., Richard Buba, reroof, \$4,025 (value), \$29 (fee); 67 Tewksbury St., Richard McKay, reroof,

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by Mark F. DeLorenzo, D.C.

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Building permits

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\$3,230 (value), \$22 (fee); 63 Lucerne Drive, Donald Howard, reroof, \$1,700 (value), \$15 (fee); 2 Apollo Circle, Kirill Gayl, reroof, \$824 (value), \$151 (fee); 88 Ballardvale Road, Coral Ellis, reroof, \$2,500 (value), \$22 (fee); 14 Marie Drive, John Cockran, vinyl siding, \$2,700 (value), \$22 (fee); 71 Chandler Road, St. Augustine Church, signs, \$25 (fee); 3 Teaberry Lane, Patrick Trainor, vinyl siding, \$8,500 (value), \$64 (fee); 6 Cheyenne Circle, Whitney Seavey, reroof, \$2,450 (value), \$15 (fee); 444 Lowell St., Zaga Rella Mario, vinyl siding, \$10,000 (value), \$71 (fee); 42 Dascomb Road, Leander Kirkwood, reroof, \$4,000 (value), \$29 (fee); 9 Sherry Drive, Robert Sawyer, strip and reroof, \$6,984 (value), \$50 (fee); 23 Stinson Road, Gary Friedman, pellet stove, \$2,200 (value), \$15 (fee); 20 Post Office, Marilyn Ichton, sign, \$25 (fee); 12 Ivanhoe Lane, David Pinkney, reroof, \$2,600 (value), \$22 (fee); 6 Dorset Circle, Burke Field, strip and reroof, \$1,500 (value), \$15 (fee); 15 Arcadia Road, Shirley Sheehan, reroof, \$5,850 (value), \$43 (fee); 48 Juniper Road, Frederick Maloof Jr., strip and reroof, \$3,060 (value), \$22 (fee); 15 Fleming Ave., James Vemere, coal-burning stove, \$700 (value), \$15 (fee); 18 Woburn St., Anne Destefano, vinyl siding, \$3,200 (value), \$22 (fee); 5 Seminole Circle, James Reagan Jr., wood stove, \$900 (value), \$15 (fee); 8 Clark Road, Wendal Matherson, reroof and siding, \$8,000 (value), \$57 (fee); 8 Oak St., Joseph Antanovich, reroof, \$5,280 (value), \$36 (fee); 17 Ravens Bluff, James Muller, swimming pool, \$14,000 (value), \$123 (fee); 53 Dascomb Road, Joseph Watson, remove barn, \$100 (fee); 9 Marie Drive, Andrew Roehr, reroof, \$2,000 (value), \$15 (fee); 4 Deca Circle, Todd Merrill, wood stove, \$3,000 (value), \$22 (fee); 16 Haverhill St., Shawsheen Village, sign, \$350 (value), \$32 (fee); 16 Haverhill St., Shawsheen Village, sign, \$400 (value), \$32 (fee); 63 Andover St., Conrad Delisio, construction trailer, \$15 (fee); 4 Downing St., David Barker, raze swimming pool, \$15 (fee); 3 Starwood Crossing, Wilfred Borden, swimming pool, \$8,800 (value), \$88 (fee).

Total fees collected were \$22,722. Total estimated value was \$2,996,740. Water connection fees totaled \$5,661.

Lowell General thanks DeMoulas family

Lowell General Hospital recently honored and thanked Mr. and Mrs. Telemachus A. DeMoulas of Andover and the DeMoulas Foundation for their years of continued support with a special gift from the board of trustees, administration and employees at its annual honor roll reception.

Robert A. Donovan, LGH president, unveiled a custom-designed case that contained the DeMoulas / Disney Children's Video Library. The library of 60 Disney videotapes will be enjoyed by children and their families in the family room of the new pediatrics unit that will be completed in the spring of 1994.

"The DeMoulas family has been an integral partner in the success of Lowell General Hospital. The impact of their generosity has guaranteed that Greater Lowell families have access to state-of-the-art medical equipment and care right here in their community," Mr. Donovan said.

"Because of this, the trustees, administration and employees felt that we wanted to give back something special to the DeMoulas family to acknowledge our appreciation. We hope that our donation of the Children's Video Library in their name will remind them and all the families and children who enjoy the movies that giving is an expression of love and love can bring joy and hope, even in times of despair," said Mr. Donovan.

The annual Honor Roll Reception is an

opportunity for Lowell General Hospital to extend its appreciation to all members of the community for their support of the hospital during the last annual fund year.

Gifts to the 1993 annual Fund Drive assisted in the renovation

and redesign of the new Emergency Department that opened last spring.

The goal of the 1994 Annual Fund is to contribute to the renovation of the pediatrics unit, which will complete the circle of care for children at LGH.

Holiday Open House in downtown Andover, tomorrow, Friday, 6-10 p.m.

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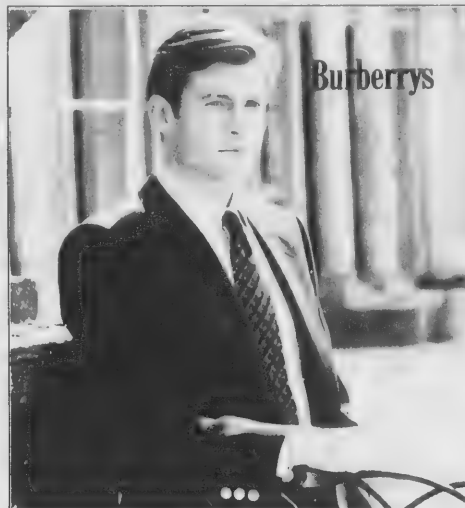
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SENIOR CITIZENS

By Sharon L. Souza

The **Alzheimer's support group** will meet at the Senior Center Monday, Dec. 6, at 7 p.m.

The **Parkinson's support group** will meet at the Senior Center Monday, Dec. 6, at 1 p.m.

The monthly **Supper Club** will meet Wednesday, Dec. 8, at 5 p.m. at Angelica's Restaurant in Middleton. For more information or to make reservations, call the Senior Center.

The Andover Health Department will hold a **free glucose screening clinic** at the Senior Center Wednesday, Dec. 8, from 8 to 10 a.m. for Andover residents over 60 years of age who are not known diabetics. The fin-

gerstick blood test requires consuming no food or drink, except water, for at least three hours prior to the test. For more information, call the health department at 470-3800. Register at the Senior Center.

The Andover Elks will provide a **free Christmas dinner** to seniors on Sunday, Dec. 19, at noon. Tickets are limited to 130 and are available at the Senior Center.

Podiatrist Dr. Larry Goldstein will offer **routine foot care** at the Senior Center Tuesday, Dec. 7, at 12:30 p.m. Call for an appointment.

Dr. James Conroy will provide a **dental screening** on Thursday, Dec. 9, from 9 to 11:30 a.m. at the Senior Center. Call for an appointment.

The Senior Center will hold a **tree-trimming party** Monday, Dec. 6, at 12:30 p.m. Everyone is asked to

bring an ornament as a contribution. Refreshments will be served.

Stanley Butcher, a retired history professor, will speak at the Senior Center on Thursday, Dec. 9, at 10 a.m. on "Interesting things you never knew about the Civil War."

Atty. Gerald Shyavitz will present a lecture on "Changes on the Medicaid Law and Avoiding Probate" on Thursday, Dec. 9, at 12:30 p.m.

SENIOR MEALS

Here's what's for lunch at the Senior Center Dec. 6-10:

Monday: Salisbury steak with gravy, whipped potatoes, corn, Parker House roll, chilled peaches, milk.

Tuesday: Roast turkey with gravy and stuffing, mashed potatoes, peas, cornbread, pudding with topping, milk.

Wednesday: Shepherd's pie, whipped potatoes, wax beans, wheat bread, fresh fruit, milk.

Thursday: Baked stuffed shells, green beans, wheat bread and butter, cake with frosting, milk.

Friday: Homemade corn chowder, tuna salad roll, potato salad, ice cream cup, milk.

The Senior Center will serve chicken nuggets on Monday, Dec. 13, and roast beef, Tuesday, Dec. 14. For reservations, call 470-3830 before 2 p.m. on business day before lunch you plan to attend.

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sale, semi-hobby for about five years now."

He said he decided to open Dr. Golf to expand his retail environment. Because his wife is from the area and his family currently lives in North Andover, Mr. Towle said he had his eye on the Shawsheen Plaza location for some time.

"I had looked at this location earlier but it was too big for me," he said. But

once the landlord "decided to subdivide it, I jumped on it real quick. There's excellent traffic though the plaza."

Mr. Towle said the emphasis for his store will be on the specialized clubs, and keeping an open atmosphere where someone can come in to take a few swings or talk about the coming season.

"People can come down and talk golf or learn the trade," he said.

"From now until Christmas should

'People can come down and talk golf or learn the trade.'

be busy with gifts and gifts certificates. It probably should be quiet for January, but then it starts right up again after February as the weather starts to improve.

"It's still a tremendously fast growing leisure-time activity. It's good exercise," he said.

There are many knickers-wearing golf fanatics who would agree with him.

Dr. Golf is open Monday through Wednesday, and Friday, from 9:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., Thursday until 8 p.m., and Saturday 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. The store will be open Sundays, noon to 5 p.m., until Christmas.



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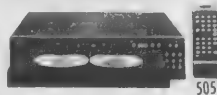
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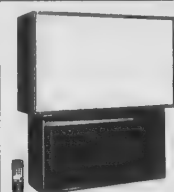
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TREE LIGHTING AT BRICKSTONE SQUARE



Crowds gathered Monday night for the fourth annual lighting of the Christmas tree at Brickstone Square. This is part of Santa's Workshop at Brickstone.



Amanda Rivard of Chelmsford visits Santa's reindeer with her aunt, Anna Carito of Andover. Photos by Lisa Adelsberger



Ted Fairburn gives his daughter, Allison, a better view of the action.



Santa waves to the crowd after being introduced by WBZ-TV's Tom Bergeron, master of ceremonies for the tree lighting Monday night.

WBZ-TV's Tom Bergeron helps kick off the holiday season

Monday night saw 4th annual twilight lighting of the nation's tallest Christmas tree at Brickstone

The fourth annual lighting of the nation's tallest Christmas tree was held Monday, Nov. 29, in the upper parking lots of Brickstone Square. The 93-foot Norway spruce is taller than the Christmas trees displayed at Boston's Prudential Center (45 feet), the White House (45 feet), Walt Disney World (65 feet) and New York City's Rockefeller Center (85 feet).

The celebration, co-sponsored by Marshalls, a tenant at Brickstone Square, featured performances by the

Cambridge Madrigal Singers, the 80-member 'Saders Drum and Bugle Corps and a children's sing-along with costumed characters. Tom Bergeron of WBZ-TV, master of ceremonies, flipped the switch at the 7 p.m. tree lighting. Santa arrived and a sing-along of holiday favorites completed the program.

Marshalls and Brickstone Square support the U.S. Marine Corps Reserve's "Toys for Tots" drive with a colorful "donation station" at the

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This year's 93-foot Norway spruce was picked out by Mark Donohoe (front) of Riverside Landscaping. He is trimming the tree with Dan Gallagher, about 80 feet off the ground, standing in a cherry-picker.

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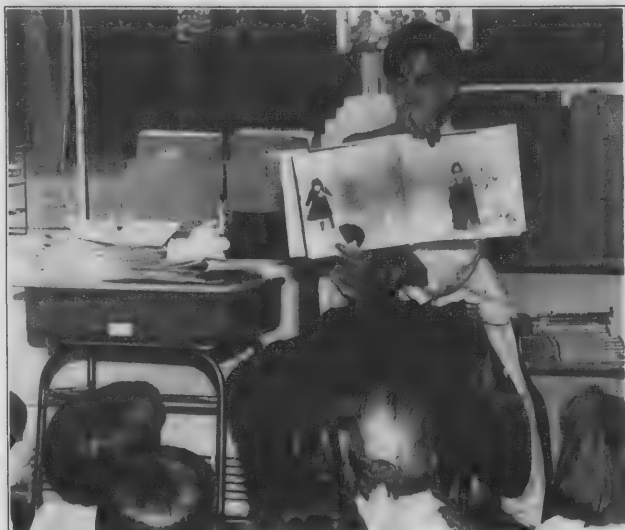


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Reading at South School



Third-graders at South School enjoyed having Townsman reporter Neil Fater read "The Keeping Quilt" to them. A number of professionals in town were invited by Principal Eileen Woods to read to students at the school during National Book Week, Nov. 14-20.



South School third-graders in homeroom 14 with Mr. Fater are (in no particular order): Jeffrey Begley, Meghan K. Bradley, Stephanie R. Casper, Jared R. Cuneo, Rachel Goldman, Alexander Marcus Hanna, Taylor James Hender, Kara Lynn Huston, Christopher S. Kaminski, Brian Karfunkel, Carrie Kropiwnicki, Jessica D. Leider, Bennet Hamilton Leon, Kimberly M. Macelhaney, Casey McDade, Jonathan Ryan Papas, Audrey Elizabeth Peck, Michael Ryan Ruderman, Priya Sridhar, Michael Sullivan and Patrick Andrew Wadland.

South School student council organizes food drive

The community service committee of the South School student council organized a food drive for Neighbors in Need, located in Lawrence.

The third-, fourth- and the fifth-grade members of the committee designed and pre-

pared fliers, which were sent home to parents.

Posters prepared by the children decorated the hallways of the school.

The children were encouraged to go food shopping with their parents and pick food

from the four basic food groups.

The committee members shared their thoughts about the food drive.

Julie Andros, a fifth-grader, wrote, "When we did this food drive I felt so good like I did

something for others and when I help others it makes me feel as if someone just gave me a present."

Fourth-grader Emily Reynolds wrote, "I liked doing this food drive. It made me feel good to see all of the food that I

helped collect for people that normally wouldn't have that much food."

A third-grader, Priya Sridhar, wrote, "I feel great about sharing. It feels good to receive but it also feels good to give. I liked the way the whole school participated in the food drive. I think the food drive worked great."

Greater Lawrence Technical School announces its exam schedule

Attention eight-graders: Placement testing for the

fall 1994 entrance to Greater Lawrence Tech School for

eighth-graders in Lawrence will be held this Saturday,

Dec. 4, from 8 to 10 a.m. in the school cafeteria.

Testing for Andover, Methuen and North Andover eighth-graders will be held Saturday, Dec. 11.

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SCHOOLTALK

A small group of Andover High School students participated in the fifth annual AIDS Dance-a-thon on Saturday, Nov. 20, at the Hynes Civic Center in Boston. The pledge dance was attended by more than 4,000 people and raised more than \$400,000 to help in AIDS research and education programs.

Yesterday, Dec. 1, was commemorated around the world as AIDS Awareness Day, the only international day of coordinated action against the spread of AIDS.

Amy Parziale, the high school's team captain, said more

and more students are realizing that AIDS is a serious epidemic that is not going to go away. Amy hopes that the AIDS 10K Walk on June 5 will have the largest Andover High School team yet. This will be the

third year Andover High has had a team of students participate in the walk. Last year's walk raised \$3 million.

Storyteller Jay O'Callahan will perform short stories and sign copies of his

new children's book, *Orange Cheeks*, at Andover Bookstore, 89 Main St., Saturday, Dec. 4, from 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

The festivity, at what is considered to be the nation's "oldest continuously run-

ning bookstore" (founded in 1809), will include musical entertainment by Vocomotive, an eight-voice singing group, performing folk and holiday music.

Orange Cheeks is a story about a little

boy and his grandmother. The story is set on Leonard Avenue in Cambridge and Patricia Raine's oil paintings help capture the grace and charm of Cambridge, according to the author.

Mr. O'Callahan

has performed the story all over the globe, from South Africa to London and Dublin and the Netherlands to Indonesia, according to the publisher, Peachtree Publishers Ltd.

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Calling all December babies...

► Babies celebrating their first birthdays, affiliated with Andover, may have their pictures in the *Townsmen* free. They will appear in the issue dated the last Thursday of the month, in the month of baby's first birthday. All babies having a birthday this month will be published in the Dec. 30 issue. All photos must be received by 5 p.m. the previous Friday (Dec. 24). The *Townsmen* continues to publish Births on the first Thursday of the month (see page 32).

Be seen in the Social pages.

The deadline for school news for the next issue is Friday, Dec. 3, at 5 p.m.

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◀ At West Elementary, Brian Mulligan, treasurer, led the group effort to count and roll 37,553 pennies. Pictured counting the pennies are council officers Amy Feinberg, Amanda Camello, Brian Mulligan and Chris Cataldo.



From left, Denise Littlefield, West Elementary School vice principal, sees the rolls of pennies arranged by student council members Brian Mulligan and Amanda Camello.

SCHOOL TALK

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West Elementary student council members were busy last month collecting food and pennies to provide Thanksgiving dinner to needy families from their school. The council started with a goal to raise enough to feed three families, but thanks to everyone's generosity and a discount from Demoulas, the council exceeded this goal, raising nearly \$400, and was able to feed 12 families.

Pingree Children's Theatre Troupe has Andover stars. The Pingree Children's Theatre Troupe will present Karen Boettcher-Tate's production of *The Elves and the Shoemaker* at the Mary Weld Pingree Theatre for the Performing Arts, 537 Highland St., South Hamilton. Two performances are scheduled for Thursday, Dec. 16, in cooperation with Pioneer Drama Service Inc. The first will take place at 9 a.m. and the second at 10:30 a.m. A third performance is scheduled for Saturday, Dec. 18, at 11 a.m.

For reservations, call the theatre box office at 468-2194. Schools will receive, at no extra charge, a packet containing a synopsis of the story with pre-show and post-show activities when reservations are made, organizers said.

Students in the production include Andover residents Lexi Tice as Matilda Cobblestone, Mark Peiken as Lockhart Cobblestone and Greg Belkin as the Policeman and the Mayor.

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The College Board recognizes three levels of achievement: the AP Scholar with Distinction, AP Scholar with Honor, and AP Scholar.

Three students at Andover High School qualified for the AP Scholar with Distinction Award by earning grades of 3 or above on five or more AP exams with an average exam grade of at least 3.50. These students are Marc S. Elzweig, Holly Grabowski and Sharon W. Su.

Nine students qualified for the AP Scholar with Honor Award by earning grades of 3 or above on four or more AP examinations with an average exam grade of at least 3.25. These students are Sefany J. Andreadis, John J. Faldetta, Mei L. Gallagher, Eileen M. Kelley, Beverly R. Koch, Matthew T. Landry, Matthew G. Liberty, Ellen S. Mitchell and Sajini Shetty.

Eighteen students qualified for the AP Scholar Award by completing three or more AP examinations with grades of 3 or higher. The AP Scholars are Glenn J. Aeder, Craig K. Black, Andrew C. Brown, Matthew J. Chapin, Diana J. Dresser, Kevin E. Foltz, Tanya S. Tamarkin, Sean P. Harris, Ethan M. Krasnoo, Benjamin A. Mazin, Melissa A. Minot, Edward J.

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Here's what's for lunch at the Andover public schools Dec. 6-10:

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Monday: Inservice day. No lunch.

Tuesday: Hamburger or cheeseburger on roll, potato puffs, wax beans, applecrisp, milk or juice.

Wednesday: Pancakes with hot maple syrup, sausage patty, applesauce, fruited Jell-O with topping, milk or juice.

Thursday: Chicken cutlet on roll, potato chips, sliced carrots, cake with frosting, milk or juice.

Friday: Dinosaur pasta with sauce, green beans, Superpretzel, fruit cup, milk or juice.

Peanut butter and jelly sandwiches and a pizza lunch are available daily.

Middle schools

Monday: Hamburger or cheeseburger on roll, potato chips, wax beans, fruit cup, milk.

Tuesday: Steak sub with choice of peppers, onions and cheese, carrots, fudge

brownie, milk.

Wednesday: Nachos with meat, lettuce, tomato and cheese, corn, pudding with topping, milk.

Thursday: Veal cutlet sub with tomato sauce and cheese, green beans, applecrisp, milk.

Friday: Cheese pizza, carrot and

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Menus are subject to change.

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West Middle School announces first-term honor roll students

West Middle School announced the names of its students who have been named to the first-term honor roll last week. The students are:

Grade 6

High Honors:

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Honors: All-ari

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Renee Lucas, Katharine Anne McGrath, Rebecca McMahon, Michael J. Meagher, Alexis Mimos, Gregory Moran, Daniel Nyberg, Jill Oppenheim, Rachel Parkhurst, Robin Danielle Patti, Sarah Rabbani, Stephanie

Recupero, Jeffrey J. Rocca, Michael John Rossetti, James Joseph Russo, Andrew T. Ryan, Luis A. Santiago, Mathew James Santos, Rachel Mara Sebell, Richard William Sheldon, David R. Shepperd, Adam Silevitch,

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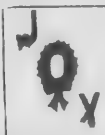
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West Middle School honor roll students announced

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Roseann Wang, Adri-
enne Beth Weisner,
Jesse C. Whitworth,
Marrissa Wolfe,
Michelle L. Zaiter.

Grade 7

High honors:
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Rebecca Ambro, Hee
Jin Bang, Deborah
Bauer, April M. Bet-
ty, Joshua M. Bloom,
Andrea Campbell,
Caroline B. Crocker,
Desiree Croteau,
Jesse Greenspan, Taj

Mary Kattapuram,
Sara Leclerc,
Suzanne Polizzi,
Robert D. Rawlinson,
Gregory Rosenheck,
Jessica Schoen,
Matthew Schrader,
Gloria Shen, Jen-
nifer Jinshuan Shu,
Daniel Shue, Brian
Wolk, Justin Yee.

Honors: Desiree
Adams, Matthew S.

Arcidy, Kevin
Thomas Barry,
Jacqueline Leah
Bloom, Amy Marie
Cataldo, T. Terah
Chan, Adrienne
Ciampa, Andrew
Conlon, Janice L.
Coppolino, Long
Dang, Elizabeth
Davis, Lauren Davis,
James M. Delaney,
Jennifer Downes,

Alissa Eberle, Laura
Fish, Amparo-maria
Folch, Eric B. Frish-
man, Kate M. Gerry,
Sarah Tracy Geyser,
Meghan T. Gillespie,
Nicole K. Haerer,
Kirsten Houghton,
Terry D. Kim,
Michael W.
M a c o m b e r ,
Stephanie Manners,
Pamela Muller, Kris-

ten M. Munson,
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frey A. Newman,
David A. Nichols,
Elizabeth A. O'Con-
nell, Melissa
Osborne, Samuel
Pearson, Kate Ram-
macher, Mark Rocca,
Christian O. Sem-
pere, Ruchi Sisodia,
Shaun Barclay Sut-
ter, Karen M.

Tessier, Sara J.
Thomas, Meghan
Twohig, Alexis Kate
Upton, Robin L.
Weston, Christopher
J. Wholey, Laurie L.
Willey, Joshua Wil-
son, Kevin A. Zuenä.

Grade 8

High honors:
Elizabeth Anne
Anderson, Erin Lea

Baggeroer, Kyung
Duk Bang, Daniel H.
Barch Jr., Courtney
Barron, Aron K. Bel-
lorado, Elizabeth S.
Bradshaw, Rachel
Emily Brodie,
Brooke Callanan,
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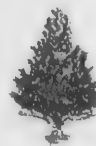
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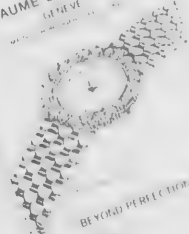
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Dick Chapell of Andover Photo and Sean Quinn of Strawberry Tree, heading up the holiday decoration committee for downtown Andover, unfurl one of the holiday banners that will welcome people walking down Main Street during the holiday open house tomorrow night, Friday, from 6-10. [See story on page 54.]

League of Women Voters invites the public to its holiday brunch Dec. 15

The League of Women Voters of Andover will sponsor a holiday brunch Wednesday, Dec. 15, at 10 a.m. at Carole Couture's home, 16 Wabanki Way.

The purpose of the meeting is to give grassroots input for the national program for the next two years and review current league positions.

Recently leagues across the country studied the national health-care issue and came to a consensus position. The Andover league is considering how to take action on this crucial issue in the next two years, with citizen

education and input to legislators.

Other possible items for emphasis for the near future are crisis in the cities, early intervention for children at risk, federal deficit, international democracy, citizen involvement in government, waste management, pollution prevention and women's economic equity.

All Andover townspeople are invited to the brunch. "Come and participate in the league national program planning and set priorities for the next two years," event sponsors said.

Garden Club presents Festival of Trees this weekend; plans meeting Dec. 7

The Andover Garden Club will present its annual Festival of Trees this weekend, Dec. 3-5, at Old Town Hall on Main Street.

Hours for the festival are: Friday, Dec. 3, noon-4 p.m. and 6-9 p.m.; Saturday, Dec. 4, 10 a.m.-4 p.m.; Sunday, Dec. 5, noon-4 p.m.

A raffle drawing will be held Sunday, Dec. 5, at the closing of the festival. First prize is a pair of his-and-her Lassale watches. Second prize is a women's gold-filled Cross pen and pencil set. Third prize is a Howard Miller clock.

Royal Jewelers has donated the raffle prizes, and tickets may be purchased at Royal Jewelers, the Festival of Trees or from Pam Orlandella at 475-0047.

The Andover Garden Club will hold its monthly meeting Tuesday, Dec. 7, at 12:30 p.m. at the Unitarian Universalist Church on Locke Street.

Joyce Ringleb, vice president and pro-

gram chairwoman for the organization, has announced that the meeting will be a thank-you tea, honoring club members for their efforts on behalf of the Festival of Trees, which takes place this weekend at Old Town Hall.

The Festival of Trees was started in 1989 by two Andover Garden Club members, Ann Lange and Susan Daly. Each December the club has sponsored the Festival of Trees and merchants, organizations and townspeople have come to make it a holiday tradition.

The proceeds from the festival are used by the Andover Garden Club for its beautification and educational projects in and around town.

At the meeting there will also be a program of holiday gift ideas for the gardener and the arranger.

Non-members wishing to attend the meeting should call Lola Monks, club president, at 475-0231.

Fourth annual DCS craft show canceled

The Department of Community Services has canceled its holiday craft show, scheduled for Sunday, Dec. 12, due to the small number of crafters submitting applications

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DCS extends its appreciation to those crafters who registered to participate in this show.

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50-year member of SVWC donates second painting to club's scholarship program

Alice O'Toole, a 90-year-old Andover artist, has been a member of the Shawsheen Village Women's Club for 50 years. Recently, Ms. O'Toole donated one of her paintings to the club to be raffled with the proceeds going to the club's scholarship program.

This is the second painting she has given to the club for the scholarship fund. The paintings

is an oil still life of flowers in a vase done in shades of blue and gold.

The drawing will take place at the meeting of the Shawsheen Village Women's Club on Monday, Dec. 6, at 7:30 p.m. at the Ramada Hotel Rolling Green.

Robert Lague of the Andover High School Music Department will present an evening of holiday music.

OES to serve meatloaf dinner Saturday evening

Andover Chapter 187, Order of Eastern Star, will serve a meatloaf dinner Saturday, Dec. 4, at Masonic Temple, 7 High St.

It will be held from 5 to 6:30 p.m.

Tickets are \$4 for adults, \$3 for children, \$2 for under 12.



◀ Sue Corcoran, president of the Shawsheen Village Women's Club, is shown with Alice O'Toole and her painting, which will be raffled off at the club's Dec. 6 meeting.

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Dr. and Mrs. John A. Beal of Andover announce the engagement of their daughter, Johnna Ann, to Sean Edward D'Urso, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen F. D'Urso of Andover.

Ms. Beal is a graduate of Andover High School and Merrimack College. She is an accountant for Marshalls corporate headquarters in Andover.

Her fiancé is also a graduate of Andover High School and Merrimack College. He is an accountant for the ADS Group in Andover.

The couple plan a spring wedding.

◀ Johnna Ann Beal



Andrew J. Cutler, M.D.
and Katie Jan Ponty

Ponty-Cutler

Mr. and Mrs. Howard D. Ponty of Andover announce the engagement of their daughter, Katie Jan, to Dr. Andrew J. Cutler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Cutler of Los Angeles, Calif.

Ms. Ponty is a graduate of the Lawrence Academy of Groton and Ithaca College. She is a medical sales representative for Stuart/Zeneca Pharmaceuticals Group on the North Shore. She is the granddaughter of Mrs. Arthur Heifetz of Andover and Seabrook, N.H.

Dr. Cutler is a graduate of University of California at Berkeley and Chicago Medical School. He is an internist. They plan an October 1994 wedding.

BIRTHS

BOUTIN - A daughter, Heather Elaine Theresa, born to Kevin Boutin and Linda Richard of 96 Maple Ave., on Nov. 6 at Lawrence General Hospital. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John Pelczar of Lawrence and Elaine Kolenda of Methuen and Arthur Boutin of Lawrence. Heather

has a sister, Erika.

BRENNAN - A daughter, Julie Carroll, born to John and Maureen (Carroll) Brennan of 6 Golden Oaks Lane on Nov. 1 at Lawrence General Hospital. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Carroll of Stoneham and Mr. and Mrs. John C. Brennan of Palmetto, Fla. Julie has a sister, Amy, and two brothers, Greg and Danny.

DUBE - A son, Richard John "Chad" born to Richard R. and Kathleen (Sullivan) Dube of High Plain Road on Oct. 21 at Winchester Hospital. Grandparents are John Terrance and Patricia Sullivan of

Fox it: 470-2819.

Andover and Richard D. and Margaret Dube of Salem, N.H. Lillian Belanger of Fairfield, Maine, is great-grandmother. "Chad" has a sister, Kristin Ann.

FEENEY - A son, Sean Patrick, born to Brian and Kellie (Devlin) Feeney of Bradford on Nov. 9 at Holy Family Hospital and Medical Center in Methuen. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. James A. Devlin and Mr. and Mrs. Bernard P. Feeney, all of Andover.

GAVEL - A daughter, Mary Catherine, born to Peter and Pamela (Couture) Gavel of 136 Greenwood Road on Oct. 23 at Lawrence General

Hospital. Grandparents are Penny Couture of Andover and Catherine Gavel of Clearwater, Fla.

ISHIHARA - A daughter, Emily Hunter, born to Stephen and Karen (Surrett) Ishihara of 80 Walnut Ave., on Oct. 27 at Holy Family Hospital in Methuen. Grandparents are John and Janet Surrett of Andover and Mervyn and Mary Lou Ishihara of Portland, Maine. Great-grandparents are Bob and Margaret Millinchamp of Brockville, Ontario, Canada, and Rose Ishihara of Pearl City, Hawaii.

PANARO - A son, Zachary Timothy, born to Timothy and Diane (Cofer) Panaro

of Lawrence on Oct. 23 at Brigham and Women's Hospital in Boston. Grandparents are Robert and Eleanor Cofer of Andover and Richard and Patricia Panaro of North Reading. Zachary has a sister, Amanda, 3.

PERRY - A daughter, Lauren Elaine, born to C. Gage and Beth (Tracy) Perry of Nashua, N.H., on Nov. 14. Grandparents are Douglas and Janice Tracy and Calvin and Mary Ann Perry, all of Andover. Great-grandmother

is Priscilla Bowman, also of Andover.

RANDOPH - A son, Charles Arthur Hilton, born to Jonathan and Jessica Randolph of Tewksbury on Nov. 7 at Salem Hospital. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Goldzweig of North Bellmore, N.Y., and Dr. and Mrs. Theron Randolph of Batavia, Ill.

WEIDLEIN - A daughter, Emily Marie, to William B. and Sharyn (Spatola) Weidlein of 19 Knoll Crest Drive on Nov. 3. Grandparents are Alfred A. Spatola

and Constance M. Spatola of Andover and Robert B. Weidlein and Elizabeth C. Weidlein of Greensburg, Pa. Emily has two sisters, Sarah Elizabeth and Katherine Anne.

WHITE - A daughter, Jennifer Claire, born to Roger and Julie (Tisbert) White of 7 Pettingle Road on Oct. 11 at Lowell General Hospital. Grandparents are Louis and Claire Tisbert of Andover and Roger and Joan White of Brandon, Miss. Jennifer has two brothers, Jason and Thomas.

Happy 1st Birthday appears monthly

► Babies celebrating their first birthdays, affiliated with Andover, may have their pictures in the *Townsmen* free. They will appear in the issue dated the last Thursday of the month, in the month of baby's first birthday. All babies having a birthday this month will be published in the Dec. 30 issue. All photos must be received by 5 p.m. the previous Friday (Dec. 24). The *Townsmen* continues to publish Births on the first Thursday of the month.



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ating hand-crafted items for many months.

Each year the church donates 10 percent of its profits to an outside charity. This year the chosen recipient will be the Lawrence Boys and Girls Club. The money will enable the club to host a holiday party for its members. A meal will be served and gifts presented.

The fair will feature Christmas greens, gourmet and country kitchen items, hand-crafted ornaments, decorations and sweaters, new and old books as well as attic treasures. There are toys for the children, a model train to run and pictures with Santa. Raspberries restaurant will provide lunch.

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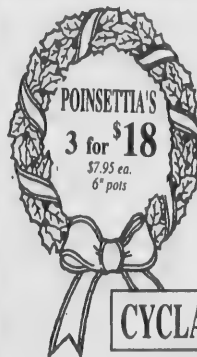
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HANUKKAH FESTIVITIES

Spreading the message of the festival of Hanukkah

By Rabbi Howard A. Kosovske

Jewish tradition teaches that the correct place for a lighted Hanukkah menorah (that's the Hebrew word for a candelabrum) is in a window where passersby may see it burning.

The reason for this is to publicize the miracle of Hanukkah. For Judaism, that means spreading the festival's message to anyone who is willing to listen.

The problem, however, is to identify what the miracle of Hanukkah is. The literary sources do not agree on this.

For the Talmud, that great corpus of Jewish religious law and lore, there is one possibility. When the Maccabees' reclaimed the ancient temple after defeating the legions of the Syrian Greek King Antiochus IV in the 160's B.C.E., they did not have any oil to rekindle the temple's central, perpetually burning menorah.

What did they do? They rummaged through the temple's precincts and found a single vial of oil left over from the old days. That vial was complete even down to the seal of a high priest who had served before the beginning of the revolt. But the problem was that the vial contained only enough oil to burn for a single

day. The miracle, relates the Talmud, is that the oil lasted for eight days. In commemoration of that, Jews have kindled the lights of their Hanukkah menorot (In Hebrew, menorot is the plural of menorah) for eight days ever since.

For the Books of the Maccabees, which are found in the Apocrypha, a collection of extra-canonical religious works that were preserved by Christianity and that were unknown to most Jews, there is another possibility. In those books, there appear the details of what today we would describe as a successful guerrilla war that was waged against the mighty forces in Antiochus IV by the outnumbered and poorly equipped Maccabees. The miracle was that, after a two-year painful struggle, the Maccabees won. Victorious, they kicked the Syrian Greeks out of the country and rededicated the temple. And to commemorate the event, they ordained a victory celebration that was to be observed in perpetuity for eight days each year.

However, though not in the literary sources, there is yet another possible way to understand the miracle. That flows from the very reason why the

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war was waged in the first place.

If you ask most Jewish youngsters who each year study the Hanukkah story what the Maccabean revolt was about, they will tell you it was about religious freedom. Most people think that Antiochus IV, in an effort to impose Hellenism upon the Jews of ancient Israel, enacted all sorts of anti-Jewish restrictions upon the local population. Then, to add insult to injury, he introduced the worship of Greek gods into the temple, even going so far as to place a statue of Zeus into its main sacred chamber. When that happened, the revolt occurred.

However, a critical study of history does not support this understanding of the story. In truth, it was not Antiochus IV who initiated the Hellenistic reforms within ancient Israel. Rather, it was the priesthood of the old order who as a political group wanted city-state rights for Jerusalem. They liked Greek culture and want-

ed to be a part of it. Not only that, they were not alone. Most of the Jewish masses too wanted more to be Greek than they wanted to be Jewish.

As we now know, a rival group of priests, the Maccabees, viewed the situation as an ultimate threat to the survival of Judaism. For them, looking at Greek culture was one thing, touching it quite another. The Greeks were who they were and the Jews were who they were. Each perhaps could teach things to one another. Each perhaps could learn things from one another. But they emphatically could not be one another, at least not if they wanted to survive as distinct peoples.

In this historical reconstruction, the miracle is that the Maccabees, few among the very many, went to war to assert the principle of multicultural diversity. The Greeks had their culture, the Jews theirs. And for the Maccabees, preserving the right to remain who they were was a cause that had to be championed over everything else.

It all would have worked out fine and there never would have been a war had the two cultures agreed to exist side by side and affirm each other. But

they did not. And at the point when the Maccabees' own people were about to assimilate themselves out of business, the Maccabees acted. It was then that the miracle of their own understanding came into play.

The lesson from all of this is obvious: melting pots do not accomplish anything. Within America, the greatness of our nation stems from the fact that many peoples have come to this place and brought great traditions with them. When we share our respective traditions with each other, the worth of all of us as individuals is enhanced. More important, if we continue to be, practice and preserve who we as individuals are, we will bring strength to each other as we side by side forge ahead and grow as a nation to even greater heights. May the lights of the menorah, burning in windows during the festival of Hanukkah, serve as reminder of that to each and every one of us.

Howard A. Kosovske is the rabbi of Congregation Tifereth Israel in Andover.

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Since its inception five years ago, Hanukkah has treated viewers to historical firsts: the first intercontinental hookup in Soviet history and the first public Hanukkah celebration in the former Soviet Union, as more than 6,000 people openly celebrated Hanukkah in the Great Hall of the Kremlin, and much more. The simultaneous lighting of the menorah by tens of thousands of Hanukkah celebrants across the

globe - at the Western Wall, White House, Eiffel Tower, Hong Kong, Australia and New York - play a crucial part in Hanukkah Live's message of universality.

Researchers pored over historical, cultural and geographical information of the Hanukkah holiday, Macabbean era and more to be presented in video during Hanukkah Live. This year includes a montage of highlights and images from Hanukkah celebrations from Honolulu to Cairo; a "man-in-the-street" package; "how-to" holiday instructional piece; and a "world menorah" youth talent segment round out the program.

Special care is taken to estab-

lish a sense of place and identifiable images as well as an appreciation of the varied cultures, languages and time zones Hanukkah Live encompasses.

Historical and informational background and a live narration complement the program.

People of all ages, ethnic backgrounds and walks of life will enjoy Hanukkah Live, according to organizers.

This live satellite program will be shown at the grand Hanukkah celebration at Chabad of the Merrimack Valley on Sunday, Dec. 12, at 3 p.m. [See related story, below at left.]

Synagogue is preparing for the Festival of Lights

The Montefiore Synagogue, 460 Westford St., Lowell, will present the first annual Irene Crocker Memorial Hanukkah Lecture tonight, Thursday, Dec. 2, at 8.

Rabbi Chaim Goldberger, spiritual leader of the Montefiore Synagogue, will speak on "Wrapping Your Hanukkah Gifts in Meaning."

The public is invited.

Call the synagogue office at 459-9400.

Send your religion news in each week.

Chabad's Hanukkah grand celebration is Sunday, Dec. 12

The grand Hanukkah celebration with Chabad of the Merrimack Valley will take place Sunday, Dec. 12, the fifth night of Hanukkah, at the Ramada Hotel Rolling Green on Lowell Street (Route 133).

The program will include live music and entertainment and the lighting of the large Hanukkah menorah by guest speaker Gerald Silverman, Andover selectman.

Hanukkah Live, a live satellite transmission of simultane-

ous Hanukkah celebrations from the White House lawn, the Western Wall, Eiffel Tower, Hong Kong, Moscow, Australia, and other places around the world will be shown. The children's program will include a magician and the "olive oil press," where children will be able to experience the process of making olive oil for the Hanukkah menorah.

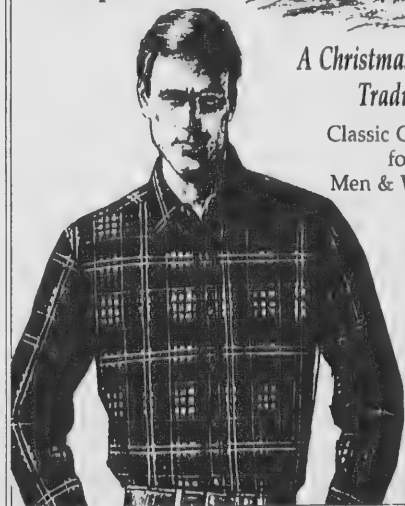
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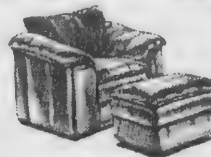
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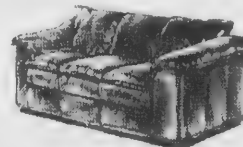


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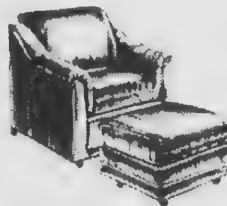
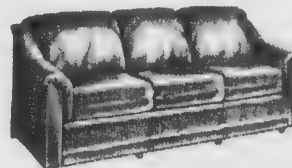
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Handbell choir prepares for Lessons and Carols and holiday concert

St. Augustine's interdenominational handbell choir is presently preparing to join with the adult vocal choir for Lessons and Carols Friday, Dec. 10, at 7:30 p.m. at St. Augustine Church, 43 Essex St.

It will also participate with

the combined voices of the children and adult choirs of Sacred Heart in Lowell for a holiday concert Sunday, Dec. 12, at 2:30 p.m. at Sacred Heart Church, 159 Moore St., Lowell.

For more information, call Carolyn at 470-0357.

Safe Place offers support for survivors

Safe Place, a support group for those who have lost a loved one through suicide, meets the second and fourth Tuesday of each month from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m.

With more than 560 reported suicides a year in Mass-

achusetts and Southern New Hampshire last year, thousands of people suffer the pain of this tragic loss.

The next meetings are on these Tuesday dates: Dec. 14 and 28.

Meetings are at St. Robert Bellarmine Church Rectory.

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Faith Lutheran Church will celebrate 30 years of worship Sunday, Dec. 5. A service of celebration will be followed by a banquet. The planning committee is, from left, Jane McCrill, Ann Anderson, Violet Curtin, Sally Thoren and Kay Foltz.

Faith Lutheran Church celebrates its 30th anniversary of worship Sunday

Faith Lutheran Church will celebrate 30 years of worship Sunday, Dec. 5. A service of celebration will be followed by a dinner at Hillview Country Club.

Representatives of the Augustana Lutheran Church met with a small group of Lutherans from the Andover area in January 1962. The Rev. Hartland H. Gifford accepted the call and came to Andover in June 1962. The first worship service was held at Pike School on Nov. 4, 1962. After a year at Pike School, services were moved to Peabody House at Phillips Academy. The church was officially organized Dec. 1, 1963.

Land at the corner of Wildwood and South Main Street was purchased in April 1964 and the original church building was completed in September 1967. An addition was erected in September 1987.

The church has been served by five ministers. The Rev. Gifford served from 1962 to 1970; the Rev. Donald B. Myrom from 1971 to 1977; the

Rev. Dennis P. Kohl from 1977 to 1988; E. Lindgren from 1989 to 1992. The Rev. John T. Heydenreich started his ministry in Andover in April 1993.

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The Office of Community Affairs and Multicultural Development, music department and Protestant Ministry at Phillips Academy will celebrate Kwanzaa, an African-American ceremony of the "first fruits" of the harvest, Saturday, Dec. 4, at 7 p.m. in Cochran Chapel. Kwanzaa, a Swahili word for the event, has been celebrated in the United States for more than 25 years and represents the coming together of family and friends in community to acknowledge their hard work throughout the growing season.

The ceremony will feature readings and reflections by members of the Af-La-Am Society. Beverly Henderson is the faculty adviser. Gertrudis Parra will direct the Academy Gospel Choir, accompanied by Anthony Vinson.

The annual Christmas service of Lessons and Carols will be held Sunday, Dec. 5, at Cochran Chapel. An academy brass quintet, directed by Robin Cavalear, followed by the Handbell Choir, under the direction of Andres Mojica, will begin carols at 4:30 p.m. The Service of Lessons and Carols is derived from ancient sources and is celebrated today in this way at King's College, Cambridge, England. Seven traditional Christmas readings by students and faculty will alternate with music by the Academy Chorus, Chris Walter, director, and Fidelio Society, Susan Lloyd, director. The Rev. Philip Zaeder, Protestant chaplain, and the Rev. Michael Hall, O.S.B., Roman Catholic chaplain, will lead the service.

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OBITUARIES

Sean P. Harris AHS grad class of '93

Sean P. Harris, 18, of Andover, died Wednesday, Nov. 24, at his family's Lincoln Street home.



Sean P. Harris

Mr. Harris was born in Winchester.

He was a four-year member of the Andover High School cross-country and track teams and competed in Andover's Feaster Five Road

Race and North Andover's Fourth of July 10K road race.

He was a member of the math team at AHS and was selected a National Merit semifinalist. He graduated last June. On the day he died, his parents received notification and a certificate commending him for exceptional achievement in the college level Advanced Placement Examinations.

He had been pursuing a double major in electrical engineering and physics at the University of Massachusetts Amherst.

His father, John P. Harris, a former member of the Governor's Council, said his son worked summer jobs as a lot boy at Commonwealth Motors, and for Konjoians Greenhouses on Chandler Road. His father said he loved art and horticulture. When the Harris family moved into their home in 1986, Sean ripped out all the overgrown shrubs and replanted the entire yard.

"That sort of shows the diversity" his son had, Mr. Harris said. "That was one of the things he used to write about - so many things out there to do."

Members of his family include his parents, John and Patricia (Jordan) Harris; sisters, Kathleen Harris and Erin Harris; grandmothers, Lucy Jordan and Helen Harris; and many cousins.

A Mass was celebrated Saturday at St. Augustine Church in Andover.

Arrangements were by Burke Funeral Home in Andover.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Sean P. Harris Memorial Scholarship Fund, c/o Andover Bank, Main Street, Andover, Mass. 01810.

Louis Kaelin Operated family grocery

Louis Kaelin, 75, of McGregor, Texas, died Tuesday, Nov. 2, in Waco, Texas.

Mr. Kaelin was born in Methuen and graduated from Methuen High School in 1935.

He was an Army sergeant during

World War II.

Mr. Kaelin worked at Beherns Drug Co. in Texas for 20 years before he retired in 1965. He then owned and operated Kaelin's Grocery with his family for 20 years. He retired in 1985.

He was past president of the McGregor Lions Club and a member of the Bryant Oliver Post American Legion where he was also adjutant.

He attended St. Eugene Catholic Church in Texas.

Members of his family include his wife, Ida (Walters) Kaelin; sons, Charles Kaelin of Eddy, Texas, and Michael Kaelin of Belton, Texas; brother, Martin V. Kaelin Jr. of Andover; sisters, Judy Caswell of Marblehead, Marie Rodgers of Salem, Mass., and Caroline DeAngelis of Center Ossipie, N.H.; and seven grandchildren.

Mr. Kaelin was buried in Texas' Crawford Cemetery with full military honors.

Arrangements were by Cole Funeral Home Inc. of McGregor, Texas.

Leon Sluz Worked at IRS

Leon Sluz, 89, of 19 Jenkins Road died Wednesday, Nov. 24, at Lawrence General Hospital.

Mr. Sluz was born and raised in Poland. He came to the United States in 1947.

He lived in Haverhill for 33 years before moving to Andover 12 years ago.

He worked at the Internal Revenue Service before retiring several years ago.

Members of his family include his wife, Zenia Sluz of Andover, with whom he would have celebrated their 50th anniversary; sons, Andrew Sluz of Medford, George Sluz of Amherst, N.H., and Alex Sluz of Brighton; daughter, Anya Carroll of Brighton; and five grandchildren.

A Mass was celebrated Saturday at St. Augustine Church. Burial was in Spring Grove Cemetery.

Arrangements were by Edgerly & Bessom Funeral Home in Andover.

Sandra Schneider Formerly of Andover

Sandra Stewart Schneider, 54, of Tustin, Calif., died Monday, Nov. 22, of a heart attack.

Mrs. Schneider was born in Andover and had lived here before moving to California about 30 years ago.

She was a member of Free Christian Church.

Members of her family include a son, Jason Schneider of Tustin; aunts, Grace Winship and Ellen Parsley, both of California; brother, Peter Stewart of Richcrest, Calif.,

and several aunts and uncles.

Arrangements were by Tustin Crematory.

James B. O'Neill Jr.

James B. O'Neill Jr., 69, of Hampton, N.H., died Tuesday, Nov. 16, at Anna Jacques Hospital in Newburyport.

He was born and educated in Lynn.

Mr. O'Neill was a troubleshooter with Raytheon Co. of Andover and a member of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, Local 1505.

He was an Army Air Force veteran of World War II.

Members of his family include his wife, Lorraine I. (Chasse) O'Neill of Hampton; sister, Mary O'Neill of Lawrence; brothers, Joseph X. O'Neill of Seabrook, N.H., and Daniel O'Neill of Lawrence; sisters-in-law, Jeanne Donovan, and her husband, Arthur Donovan, of Pelham, N.H., and Lucille Chasse of Lawrence; brother-in-law, Robert Chasse of Lowell; and nephew, Alexander O'Neill.

He was the father of the late James B. O'Neill III who died in 1989.

Arrangements were by McKenna-Ouellette Funeral Home of Lowell.

Richard W. Hill Longtime Andover resident

Richard W. Hill, 62, of Salem, N.H., died Wednesday, Nov. 24, at MI Restorative Nursing Center in Lawrence.

Mr. Hill was born in Methuen and had lived in Andover most of his life.

He worked at Converse Rubber in Lawrence.

Members of his family include his sisters, Brenda Ampollone of Lawrence and Sandra J. Demers of Salem, N.H.; three nieces; three nephews; and one cousin.

Services were held Saturday at Goundrey Funeral Home in Salem, N.H. Burial was in Spring Grove Cemetery in Andover.

Memorial contributions may be made to First Congregational Church, Lawrence Road, Salem, N.H. 03079.

Clarence McDonald Supervised franchise

Clarence E. McDonald, 67, of 48 Summer St., died Thursday, Nov. 25, at home.

Mr. McDonald was born and educated in Nebo, Ky.

He retired from the U.S. Army as a first sergeant in 1968.

He then became a supervisor of a McDonald's restaurant franchise.

Members of his family include his wife, Julia Patricia (Johnson)

Francis A. McNulty Funeral is Saturday

Francis A. McNulty, 86, of 200 Elm St., died Wednesday, Dec. 1, at Lawrence General Hospital.

Calling hours are Friday, 2-4 and 7-9 p.m., at John Breen Funeral Home in North Andover.

His funeral will be held Saturday morning at St. Augustine Church in Andover.

Call the funeral home for details. A complete obituary will be published next week.

Obituaries are a free service of the Townsman, which receives information from funeral homes and family members.

McDonald; daughters, Sheila Greenberg of Tampa, Fla., and Patricia Milam of Blythe-wood, S.C.; son, Kevin McDonald of Fitchburg; sisters, Mae Garrett, Marge Watkins and Helen Harper, all of Greenville, Ky.; brothers, Charles McDonald of Evansville, Ind., Ray McDonald of San Leandro, Calif., Lee McDonald of San Antonio, Texas, and Billy McDonald of Stuart, Fla.; four grandchildren; several nieces, nephews, grandnieces, grandnephews, great-grandnieces and great-grandnephews.

Services were Monday at Breen Funeral Home in Lawrence.

Burial with full military honors was in Spring Grove Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to St. Elizabeth Hospital Cardiology Unit, 736 Cambridge St., Brighton, Mass. 02135.

William Lampros Lived here until 1983

William Lampros, 71, of Hyannis died Friday, Nov. 26, at home.

Mr. Lampros was born in Lawrence and educated in local schools.

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William Lampros

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He had lived in Andover for many years before moving to Hyannis in 1983.

He was the owner and operator of Lampros Brothers Inc., a fruit company in Lawrence, for 47 years. He retired in 1982.

Mr. Lampros was a member of St. George Greek Orthodox Church in Centerville. He was a member of the Blue Rock Golf Course in South Yarmouth and a former member of Andover Country Club.

Members of his family include his wife, Helen (Bisgounis) Lampros of Hyannis; daughters, Dede Noukas of Hyannis and Valerie Bryan of Auburn; and three grandchildren.

Services will be private and at the convenience of the family.

Arrangements were by Doane, Beal & Ames Funeral Home in Hyannis.

Memorial contributions may be made to St. George Greek Orthodox Church, 130 Falmouth Road, Centerville, Mass. 02632.

Flevia Low

Worked in town clerk's office

Flevia Chau-Chu Low, 35, of 212 Beacon St. died Tuesday, Nov. 30, at Lawrence General Hospital after a short illness.

She was born in Hong Kong in 1958.

Ms. Low lived in Newton when she first came to the United States in November of 1986. She later married and in 1988 she and her

husband, Peter, moved to a home on Beacon Street to be nearer his work at AT&T in North Andover.



Flevia Low

Mrs. Low was a research assistant in the town clerk's office. She had worked for the town since July 1988.

Members of her family include her husband, Peter Piu-Ho Low; mother, Sau King Seto; father, the late Chung Ng; brothers, the late Yee Inn Ng and his wife, Inn Han Wong, Yee Fong Ng and his wife, Wai Fang Chan, Yee Han Ng and his wife, Kam Fang Lock, and Sun Fright Lam; sisters, Kam Chu Ng Yu and her husband, Tung Shan Yu, York Chan Ng and Shing Chan Ng Lam.

"She was not only a colleague but also a friend," said Randall L. Hanson, town clerk. "She was valuable to the office because of her terrific organizational skills and attention to detail. She supervised the voter registration process and the census on the computer. She will be greatly missed by friends and colleagues at the town offices. She was an important member of the team and was very well loved. I remember how excited she was when she became naturalized in 1990 and registered to vote for the first time."

"Flevia was one of the family," said Buzz Stacynski, town manager. "She was well-loved by all those who worked with her. She was a pleasant addition to the workplace because of the diversity she brought. She had the ability to touch all our lives in a positive way because of her sense of humor and cheerful outlook on life. Her spirit and enthusiasm added to the town offices and will be greatly missed by all of us."

When she was sworn in as citizen at a ceremony at the National Guard headquarters in Reading, her co-workers at town offices held a reception for her the next day, Friday, July 27, 1990 to share her celebration.

Calling hours are today, Thursday, Dec. 2, from 2-6 p.m. at the Burke Funeral Home, 290 N. Main St. Funeral services will be tomorrow, Friday, Dec. 3, at 10 a.m. at the funeral home and burial will follow at Spring Grove Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to American Cancer Society, 853 Main St., Tewksbury.

Royell W. Gaw

Retired from lumber company

Royell W. Gaw, 70, of 15 Chestnut Court died Friday, Nov. 26, at Lawrence General Hospital.

Mr. Gaw was born in Wakefield and attended Reading schools.

He worked as a tree surgeon for the town of Reading for several years.

Mr. Gaw later worked at the Warren Trask Lumber Co. of Wilmington for eight years.

He served as a medical technician in the Army during World War II and as a sergeant in the Korean War.

Members of his family include his wife of 41 years, Margaret L. (Carter) Gaw of Andover; son, Royell Gaw Jr. of Haverhill; daughters, Donna M. Walsh of Reading, Rhonda A. Smith of Pelham, N.H., and Tamey Donnelly of Litchfield, N.H.; brother, Warren Gaw of Londonderry, N.H.; sisters, Juanita Rose of Wilmington and Olga Brock of Middleton; four grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Services were held Monday at Edgerley & Bessom Andover Funeral Home. Burial was in the veterans' section of Spring Grove Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society, 14 Loon Hill Road, Dracut, Mass. 01826.

Morris Williams

Was school custodian here

Morris Williams, 80, of 8 Brook St., died Sunday, Nov. 28, at Lawrence General Hospital.

The lifelong Andover resident graduated from Punchard High School.

Mr. Williams worked for the town of Andover as a custodian in the school department. He retired from Sanborn School in 1978.

After his retirement, he worked part-time in maintenance at the American Heart Fund Office in Andover and North Andover.

He was a lifelong member of Andover Baptist Church.

Members of his family include his son, Glenn P. Williams of Fullerton, Calif.; daughters, Joyce M. Gallivan of Fullerton, Calif., and Wendy E. Murphy of Andover; eight grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

He was married to the late Adella A. (Pietrasek) Williams for 57 years before her death in 1990. He was also father of the late Richard N. Williams.

Services will be held today, Thursday, Dec. 2, at 10 a.m. at Edgerley & Bessom Andover Funeral Home, 33 Pearson St. Burial will follow in Spring Grove Cemetery.

Calling hours were scheduled for Wednesday, Dec. 1, from 6 to 9 p.m. at the funeral home.

Sadie Denholm

Was longtime resident

Sadie (MacLeish) Denholm, 91, a longtime Andover resident until moving to Bedford two months ago, died Tuesday, Nov. 30 at Lahey Medical Center in Burlington.

Born in Dundee, Scotland, she came to Andover in 1906 and received her education in the Andover schools.

She retired in 1968 from the Andover Companies.

Mrs. Denholm was a member of Free Christian Church for 74 years, where she was also a choir member. She was a member of Clan MacPherson and the Rebeccahs.

Members of her family include her daughter, Mrs. Robert (Ruth) Beauchene of Bedford; three grandchildren; four great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews. There are no calling hours.

Friends and relatives are invited to a memorial service Sunday, Dec. 5, at 3 p.m. at Free Christian Church.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Free Christian Church, 31 Elm St., Andover, Mass. 01810, or to the charity of one's choice.

Arrangements are by Emmert & Sons Funeral Home, 93 E. Haverhill St., Lawrence.

RELIGIOUS NEWS

Bob Thompson to appear in concert at Andover Baptist

Andover Baptist Church will present Bob Thompson in concert Saturday, Dec. 11, at 7 p.m. at the church, 7 Central St., next to Memorial Hall Library.

According to the Rev. Thomas E. Goldthwaite, Mr. Thompson is a former nightclub singer whose life was turned around by a personal encounter with the Lord. He now performs in churches, youth camps and other settings and has recorded three albums for Rainbow Sound of Dallas, Texas. He was a regular on a weekly television program on Channel 25, Boston, for three years.

Refreshments will be provided by the education committee. A free will offering will be taken to offset

Mr. Thompson's expenses. Call the church office at 475-0166.

Not your typical 'Silent Night'

BrookRidge Community Church will present a contemporary interpretation of the classic Christmas celebration Friday, Dec. 17, from 7:30 to 9 p.m. at the West Elementary School auditorium on Beacon Street. This will not be your typical "Silent Night." Musical styles, under the direction of Eric Lindahl, will range from traditional choral settings to hip hop. The evening will feature selections suited to every age, including Old English and classic carols and contemporary songs, and will end with an adaptation by Quincy Jones of Handel's *Hallelujah Chorus*.

An original drama presentation will expose the humor of getting ready for Christmas as well as how it feels to go through the motions at Christmas time.

The concert is free and nursery care will be provided. Call 682-0302 for more information.

West Parish performs Christmas drama 'Las Posadas' Sunday

Members of West Parish Church will perform the Christmas drama "Las Posadas" during morning worship service Sunday, Dec. 5, at 10. The drama is based on the hymn "Walking to Bethlehem." The hymn's message is linked with the contemporary problem of homelessness.



Tree lights up 5,000 people

(Continued from page 18) main entrance. New, unwrapped toys will be collected until Dec. 25 to benefit needy children. Each year, 200 Reserve units nationwide collect nearly eight million toys for more than 3.5 million needy children. Marshalls associates also hosted a holiday party, donated new toys and sold evergreen wreaths to benefit St. Ann's Home in Methuen. St. Ann's Home provides residential and community programs for troubled children.

The 93-foot tree was found in Methuen by Brickstone's "Christmas tree scout," Mark

Donohoe of Riverside Landscaping. Mr. Donohoe flew by helicopter searching for the perfect "problem tree," one that threatens property or endangers wires. The tree was wrapped as a giant Christmas present and transported to Andover by flatbed truck and set up by an 80-ton crane.

Mr. Donohoe and his crew decorated the tree with 15,000 lights, 450 silver and gold balls and bells and 300 maroon and antique white bows with gold backing. Giant illuminated presents, an 11-foot sleigh, a 24-foot wreath and more than 79 smaller

wreaths decorate the brightly-lit complex.

Santa's Village, which will be open for free viewing Friday nights from 6-9, and weekend evenings from 7-9, features figures carved by chainsaw from previous Brickstone trees. Figures include carolers, elves and a Santa's chair, all carved by chainsaw artist Hal MacIntosh.

Brickstone Properties bought the one-million-square-foot Brickstone Square, formerly the American Woolen Co. of Shawsheen Mills, in 1987. Its multi-million dollar renovation was completed in 1989.

This view, from way up alongside the Christmas tree at Brickstone Square, gives a different perspective of chainsaw-carver Hal MacIntosh's work area.

A crew member perched inside the cherrypicker works on the massive tree-trimming project. Mark Donohoe and his crew decorated the tree with 15,000 lights, 450 silver and gold balls and bells and 300 maroon and antique white bows with gold backing.

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TIP available for support

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our bedroom, not knowing if it was one or two people or if they had a weapon."

The police arrived shortly to find that the intruder had fled. Then they received a call that he had entered another home up the street and took off in pursuit. The police did their job. But the Conlins were left to deal with the episode alone.

"That feeling the next day — my husband was at work," said Ms. Conlin, "was, what if he comes back?"

She had that image, and the still broken window, to think about all day long. It was even more difficult for her daughter, whose safe place had been violated by a stranger.

"Those first few hours you feel paralyzed," said Ms. Conlin, of 7 Snowberry Road. "It really takes away your ability to cope."

It is for just those hours, the immediate time frame after a trauma, that the Trauma Intervention Programs Inc. originally was created to handle. Ironically, Ms. Conlin was training to become one of the East Coast's first TIP volunteers during the month the break-in occurred. She said she went to a friend, her own unofficial TIP volunteer, and the experience seemed to bolster her opinion of the importance of the program.

The TIP program

When a crime or disturbing event takes place, police officers or firefighters deal with the occurrence, and long-term crisis services are available for those having difficulty coping. However, witnesses of trauma are often left virtually alone during the first few hours they have to deal with the experience. Trauma Intervention Programs were created to handle this gap in support services.

"We don't replace agencies," said Ms. Conlin. "We're not competing with anybody. We help hook these people up with the services they need."

TIP members act as a friend in troubled times. Their presence frees police officers or firefighters to complete other aspects of their assignment while providing co-victims, the term TIP gives to those who witness a traumatic event, with a shoulder to lean on and a helping hand. Wayne Fortin, the national president of TIP, calls the organization "a modern-day good Samaritan program."

Sgt. Brian Pattullo of the Andover Police Department said he found TIP to be a valuable resource, particularly since police officers do not always have the time they might like to spend with a troubled individual during an emotional time.

Sometimes a volunteer's role might simply be to listen or to represent a normal world to someone whose world has been shattered, said Ms. Conlin.

"There are a lot of uses from the very small to the very dramatic," she said. "People can lose a pet and it can be very traumatic for them."

TIP volunteers can be used to offer



'Those first few hours you feel paralyzed. It really takes away your ability to cope.'

Jayan Conlin

emotional and practical services to disoriented elderly people, family members after an accidental death or suicide, uninjured participants in serious vehicle accidents, or victims of rape, robbery, burglary, assault and other crimes. A TIP volunteer could also babysit a lost or abandoned child while police attend to other business.

But in addition to having a number of uses, TIP also has several rules to follow.

TIP volunteers only take part in an occurrence if they are contacted by the police or fire departments and asked to assist with someone who has been affected by an accident or crime.

"We don't ambulance chase. We are only authorized to go there if we are called by police or fire," said Ms. Conlin.

"We walk a fine line," she said. "We don't intrude into clients' lives beyond their wishes."

Ms. Conlin said that volunteers must stay within one room of a house and should not use the facilities there. TIP personnel are allowed only one follow-up call to a client after initial contact.

"These people are not trained to give long-term help," Ms. Conlin explained.

Origins of TIP

TIP was founded in Oceanside, Calif., in 1985. Today there are more than 150 volunteers in that state and in 1992 a chapter opened in Portland, Ore. A recent \$100,000 grant by the Ford Foundation was given to allow the program to go nation-wide.

The Merrimack Valley TIP is the first TIP on the East Coast, or, for that matter, the first TIP outside of Califor-

nia or Oregon.

Ms. Conlin said she originally heard about TIP through the *Townsmen* and that 22 people in the Merrimack Valley applied for the training program, but that only 15 people made it through to the Oct. 19 graduation.

"They use that training to weed out people who would not be appropriate for the position," she said.

There currently are one man and 14 women in the Merrimack Valley TIP, which serves Lawrence, Methuen, Andover and North Andover.

As a former nurse practitioner at Massachusetts Eye and Ear who has taught and worked at Holy Family Hospital for the last seven years, Ms. Conlin is more than amply qualified to be a TIP volunteer. She is also an assistant professor at Salem State College and said, "I plan to teach psych. nursing next semester."

"I've been a nurse for 15 years," she said. "I've seen a lot of things. Our goal is to prevent a second injury," meaning in part that she wants to keep a victim from re-living a crime or accident alone.

Ms. Conlin said she registered to apply for TIP because being a nurse did not provide her with the opportunity to do all she would have liked.

"I reached a point in my life that I needed to help people," she said. "This role really gave me the chance to do that."

As a crisis team manager, when police call the main TIP number, Ms. Conlin takes the information and relays it to other TIP volunteers. Each volunteer has a beeper at which they can be reached, and which they paid for out of their own pocket. Ms. Conlin and Jane Thompson of Methuen, who is the head of the Merrimack Valley TIP, bought a cellular phone for the volunteer on duty for a particular week to have with them wherever they may go.

Ms. Conlin said that TIP received \$500 and a verbal commitment in March from the town manager in each of the four serviced towns. Holy Family Hospital donated \$1,000 and a bake sale is planned at the old Rockingham Plaza Mall on Saturday, Dec. 4, to raise funds.

Ms. Conlin said that TIP is planning a May training session for new volunteers and that a Lawrence police officer is planning to give a self-defense workshop.

Community response

A few weeks after initial contact,

Ms. Conlin said she sends out a response card to those who have used the TIP services.

"They are all coming back to me and it has been exciting," she said. "They've been very positive."

Ms. Conlin said that the program has been working well with the police and fire departments in the area, and with Holy Family, but that Lawrence General Hospital has elected not to use their services.

"The support of the police and fire is tremendous here," she said. "Without them we could not survive."

"It's a new program. We used it a few times already," said Sgt. Brian Pattullo.

He said that TIP was called to assist a family during a recent suicide.

"They were fantastic. They had three come to the scene and they were there within 15 minutes," he said.

"The few times that we've used them so far they've been extremely helpful."

Fire example

Ms. Conlin said that since the October graduation, the Merrimack Valley TIP has received 11 calls. Their services were needed at nine of the calls.

In addition to helping with a suicide, Ms. Conlin has also assisted at an area fire. Ms. Conlin said that when she arrived at the scene, the mother was surrounded by friends, but her young daughter was huddled quietly in a corner, fretfully clutching something. It was a stuffed animal, a lamb whose fleece had been browned by the smoke and flames of the fire.

"My energy really focused on helping the daughter," she said, "helping clean her up, helping clean up her stuffed animal. She was very upset her stuffed animal was dirty."

Ms. Conlin found some Woolite and succeeded in brightening both the animal's coat and the girl's outlook.

Ms. Conlin packed the girl an overnight bag, and was set to leave.

"The little girl turned to me and gave me a big hug," said Ms. Conlin.

"She said, 'Where did you come from again? How can I thank you?' and I said, 'You just did.'"

She will most likely never see that child again. But isn't that the role of a good Samaritan?

Those interested in TIP or in more information may call the TIP number at 474-8923 or Jane Thompson at 685-9931.

TIP's guidelines

From the Pages of TIP's "A Guide for Emergency Personnel" pamphlet:

What TIP will do:

- Provide emotional support.
- Make necessary phone calls.
- Arrange for necessary clean-up of the scene.
- Notify family, friends, clergy.
- Help arrange follow-up services.
- Provide information and referral to appropriate agencies for ongoing assistance.

ing assistance.

- Follow up to check on the client's welfare.

What TIP won't do:

- Disclose any information about the call.
- Intrude into the clients' lives beyond their wishes.
- Give legal, medical, psychological, or spiritual advice.
- Transport clients.

Downtown business has new energy

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Mr. Leed said last Friday. "It seems like (there was) a lot of pent-up frustration with buying patterns in the last couple of years. But it seems like all hell is breaking loose."

Downtown customers are more enthusiastic than they were in the past, according to Enzo Fossella, owner of Enzo of Andover men's clothing store, 2 Elm Square. Mr. Fossella, former Andover Chamber of Commerce president, said the town and the Chamber worked for a more dynamic downtown and that effort has been successful.

"I think we have it. I think the selection of stores and services are almost what I'd hoped to have," Mr. Fossella said. "People feel excited to come downtown now."

People used to come to town only for a specific item or service, according to Mr. Fossella.

"Now they come here to see what store they want to come into," he said.

Business at his own store is also looking better, Mr. Fossella said.

"There are some little signs. I think they will spend more this year than they did last year," Mr. Fossella said. "We've seen a lot of new faces come into our store. I see this as a better Christmas."

Business at The Strawberry Tree, which recently moved to its new, larger location at 9 Main St., has been super, according to Mr. Quinn.

"We've seen a steady increase both in sales and customer attitude. It seems like things are picking up," he said. "With the expansion, we've actually been ahead consistently of our projections. We had projected an increase, obviously, but the new location has done even better than we'd hoped."

"Great - all in capital letters," is how Mimi Queen, manager of Chocolate by Design, 16 Main St., summed up business.

Not being the owner, she doesn't know the numbers, Ms. Queen said, but there is another way she judges the store's sales performance.

"My boss is happy," she said.

"We have a perfect location. This building is great," Ms. Queen said. "When people are down, they come in here for a whiff of chocolate and they end up buying something."

It also doesn't hurt having all the traffic from Silverado women's athletic club and Vincenzo's Italian restaurant, both new businesses upstairs in the Barnard Building.

Tom and Stella Koravos, owners of Ford's Coffee Shop, also in the Barnard Building, said business there is also great.

"Our business, so help me God, has been excellent," Ms. Koravos said Friday. "Today we were up to our neck."

Even with all the new bagel shops in town, Ford's is selling bagels. Mr. Koravos said he wasn't even aware they had a bagel business before the new bagel stores opened.

"We changed the bagel, we carry a better quality bagel now, and we don't



Photo by Lisa Adelsberger

Lindsay and Carol Towle of North Andover spend the day shopping in Andover. Carol's husband, Jim Towle, has just opened a new business called Dr. Golf, in Shawsheen Plaza. The story about that business begins on page 7.

bled the bagel sales," Mr. Koravos said.

There has been some speculation that Ford's would close its doors when the owners' current lease expires next year, but that is not going to be the case, they said.

"We love what we're doing, the people we're catering to," Ms. Koravos said. "So far as giving up Ford's, we're not ready to give it up yet."

"We are working now on our 40th year," Mr. Koravos said, stuffing tuna into a roll. "If I can go 20 more years, I'll give it a shot. I doubt it, but I'll try."

"Business is good. I'm delighted," said Dick Kapelson, owner of Kaps Menswear, which moved to its new store at 5 Main St. last March. "It's exceeding expectations and our expectations moved up after we were here through the spring season."

"I think the people are just delighted to shop downtown Andover," Mr. Kapelson said.

Families come in and talk about how the downtown has come alive, he said.

"There's a good spirit downtown. You can already feel the holiday spirit," Mr. Kapelson said.

New businesses

Part of the new energy may be because, unlike in the last few years, there is almost no vacant retail space on Main Street this year. The only exception is the old post office building, but even there renovations have begun and indications are a new tenant or tenants will move in soon.

The town issued 92 new business certificates since Jan. 1 of this year, according to the clerk's office. Another 17 businesses renewed certificates and eight discontinued their business certificates. Those numbers don't necessarily mean 92 new businesses opened here, since some businesses on that list had been operating but without a business certificate. But many of them are

town Lawrence just nine weeks ago.

"We should have done it sooner. Actually, we were looking sooner, but couldn't find enough space to accommodate us," Mr. Leed said. "Now that you have more aggressive merchants here it makes it more of a magnet for other retailers and certainly for shoppers."

With Bruegger's Bagel Bakery, Chocolate by Design, Silverado and Vincenzo's all opening in the Barnard Building this year, that building is now well on its way to being full.

"I think there are a lot of people looking to come into town. I think finding the right spot with no vacancies is the problem," Mr. Quinn said. "There are other businesses that would like to be in downtown Andover. It's a desirable location. But right now there isn't any room for any new business downtown. But the caliber of businesses that are looking to come into downtown is direct evidence that other business people have confidence in downtown Andover over the long term."

He cited Bruegger's and the new Annie Dakota women's clothing store, 9 Main St., both of which have several other locations, as recent signs of the new confidence.

"It's quite a vote of confidence when someone comes in and spends money fitting up a store and making an investment in a community," Mr. Quinn said.

Sush Tripathi, owner of Annie Dakota, which opened last Friday, said she had been looking for a space in Andover since last April. She moved here because Andover residents were shopping in her stores in Marblehead and Lexington.

"There isn't a store like us here," she said.

She thinks her new location is perfect, for its exposure on Main Street and just being in downtown Andover.

"I think it's a very upcoming area," Ms. Tripathi said.

Mike Morris, an attorney with offices on Chestnut Street and who is president of the Andover Chamber of Commerce, is upbeat about downtown, but concerned about other businesses in Andover.

"As far as downtown is concerned, it is clear that matters have improved. I'm not sure if all our downtown office space is rented. That would be the only negative in what appears to be a very positive situation," Mr. Morris said.

He is concerned with problems at Digital Equipment Corporation, which has already closed one large facility here in town due to consolidation at the company, and with Raytheon Co., which has 6,000 employees at its Lowell Street Missile Systems Division plant. Due to cuts in military spending, Raytheon is "retooling" much of its production capability and the Andover plant is already experiencing some layoffs, Mr. Morris said.

"I think the overall picture is positive. The major concerns are Raytheon and Digital," Mr. Morris said. "Other than that, Andover continues to be an attractive address for business and industry."

What are people buying?

Last year and the previous year, downtown shop owners were concerned about losing customers to the new Rockingham Mall in Salem, N.H., and a lack of confidence in the sluggish economy kept people from spending their money as freely, according to Mr. Quinn. This year that seems to have changed somewhat, he said.

"People are feeling pretty confident," he said.

People seem more willing to spend money this year, but they are "spending money for the right-quality product," Mr. Quinn said. "I haven't seen the reluctance of people to spend money, but they have to know it's for something of value."

It's too early to say whether the season is going better than last year, but "from talking to some of the business owners downtown, they're optimistic," Mr. Quinn said.

"You walk down the sidewalk and there's people all over the place," he said.

Last year people bought less expensive items, but that seems to have changed this year, according to Mr. Leed.

"The trend we're seeing here is people are buying quality. They're not afraid to open their wallets," he said. "People aren't afraid to spend a lot of money for a product as they have been in the past."

Big-screen televisions are a good example, Mr. Leed said.

"I've sold more of these here in eight or nine weeks than I sold in six months in the other store," he said of the televisions.

"I notice a little earlier shopping," Mr. Fossella said. "They're spending more. No one's really holding back. People are not as insecure as they were in the past."

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School Councils are getting organized

But potential community spots on some of the councils are unfilled

By Neil Fater

The appropriate organizations have selected the parent, teacher and student representatives to serve on the School Councils, and some schools' preliminary meetings have already taken place. However, many potential slots for community representatives "and others" continue to remain unfilled as all councils head toward their Monday, Dec. 6, meeting.

"It was not easy to find a community person," said Jade Reitman, principal of Sanborn School. "We only have one."

"I had asked teachers to look at their circle of people they know and parents to look at the circle of people they know."

"We were really looking but it's difficult," she said. "You can't call everyone."

The state Education Reform Act, mandating the creation of the councils, states that council size is up to the local discretion as long as the number for "other persons" does not exceed 50 percent of the body.

Andover's policy on School Councils for all schools says that if at all possible the category of "others" should be made up of "three individuals, any of whom may be a senior citizen, a resident of the neighborhood, a representative of the Chamber of Commerce, a school employee, an administrator, or any other interested party, as permitted by statute."

As of Wednesday, Dec. 1, only two of Andover's public schools had filled all three potential slots, with Shawsheen School filling its two final positions Wednesday morning.

Floyd McManus, principal of Doherty Middle School, the other council with three community representatives, said he filled the slots with "the people who showed an interest in serving and a willingness to serve. That's the main criteria."

Community representatives are chosen by the principal of the school.

"It isn't something (where) you needed to beat people off with a stick," said Mr. McManus. "They're providing a service for us."

"I think the people are very busy and it's not so easy to walk into some place where you have no background and no allegiance," said Ms. Reitman.

Principals Tim Thomas of Andover High School and Eileen Woods of South Elementary School, both of whom have two "others" on their councils, said they do not believe having less than three will cause problems.

Mr. Thomas said the reason he has two individuals under the "others" category is in part to keep the larger, High School council more manageable. The High School has the only council with student representatives.

"As much as anything it was (done) to stay within a reasonable level, a reasonable total number," said Mr. Thomas.

'I think the people are very busy and it's not so easy to walk into some place where you have no background and no allegiance.'

Jade Reitman

Ms. Woods said that she had been following what was an earlier School Committee version, which called for two citizens and one school employee, director or systemwide specialist, and had been unable to find a willing school employee.

Susan Dalton, chairwoman of the School Committee, said the committee changed the policy because it had been accused of being "overbearing, too restrictive, orchestrating the whole deal."

Ms. Dalton said she could not speculate on the effect of having positions go unfilled.

"I really couldn't say. This is all such new ground. Everyone in the state is in the same boat," she said, "plowing new ground."

Ms. Dalton said that significant efforts had been made to recruit community members but said she would not assume that the lack of response meant anything negative because the council position would take a good deal of time, and many community members are already involved in numerous activities.

Before she was able to name the final two community representatives, Teresa Murphy, administrator of Shawsheen School, said she did not think having less than three individuals in the "others" category would have a negative impact on the councils.

"I think people really want to get the appropriate people," she said. "I want to have people with the best interest of the school at heart."

"The group already represents the most interested parties," she said. "But I think it's better, of course, if you have community members."

Council members

The council members for each school as reported by the individual schools are as follows:

Shawsheen Integrated Primary

Administrator: Theresa G. Murphy.
Teachers: Susan Infantine, Irene Velonis.

Parents: Barry Altshuler, Janis Gerety, Patrice Minton.
Community Members: Richard Bourdelais, Sydney Bialo, Nancy Cranney.

Bancroft Elementary School

Principal: Debra Dunn.
Teachers: Nancy McMahon, Donna Luborsky, David Nichols.
Parents: Ralph Mason, William Josephson, Julie Childs, Carol Baffi-Dugan.
Community Members: Barbara Thibeault, Bridget Bennett.

Sanborn Elementary School

Principal: Jade Reitman.
Teachers: Nancy Hurley Smith, Carolyn Redmond, June Blake.
Parents: Rick Elais, Joan Hayes, Joan Sweeney, Steven Thibodeau.
Community Members: John Healy.

South Elementary School

Principal: Eileen Woods.
Teachers: Patricia Crowley, Steve Jankauskas, Jane Markiewicz, Gwen Warwick.
Parents: Giovanni D'Ambrosio, Bruce Earnley, Lynn Schade, Patience M. Trainor, Ronnie Ginsberg Ventura.
Community Members: Patty Barrett, David Goodwin.

West Elementary

Principal: Charles Friel.

Teachers: Nancy DiSalvo, Sondra Finegold, Patricia Thomson.

Parents: Janet Bloon, Timothyavenport, Philip Gibson, Susan Taylor.

Community Members: Janis Baron, Rabbi Robert Goldstein.

Doherty Middle School

Principal: Floyd McManus.
Teachers: Candace Borrello, Josephine Goldin, Robert Mirisola, Robert Walmsley.

Parents: Fran Bolway, Stephen Cohen, Janie McMillan-Thomas, Kathleen Walsh, Carol Chapman-Zanoni.

Community Members: Marjorie Hvers, Larry Larsen, Brenda O'Brien.

West Middle School

Principal: Samuel Campbell.
Teachers: Judy Piolunek, Joan-Nimerowski, Erin Manship, James Redmond.

Parents: Jan Barch, Martha Gibson, Prakash Joshi, David Konjoian, Lynn Willey.

Community Members: Richard Chapell, Barbara Somers.

Andover High School

Principal: Tim Thomas.
Teachers: Linda Davis, Jerry Lake, Tim Walker, Chuck Wettergreen, Sharon Wilson.

Parents: Joan Ashlick, Kathy Hess, Laurie Huberman, Jim Krasnoo, Lisa Menschel, Pat Shepard.

Community Members: Hooks Johnston, Ken Kwajewski.

Students: Cheryl Battles, Kevin Pojasek.

New energy downtown

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Mr. Kapelson said there are two groups of shoppers this year. Those who always wanted nicer items still want them, and while they are not buying quantities, they are insisting on better merchandise.

"And people in the moderate-price range are looking for quality within the moderate-price ranges," Mr. Kapelson said.

Center Association

The Andover Center Association, a group of local businesses that work together marketing the downtown, has grown to nearly 50 members from 30 just two years ago.

"Over the past year we've added about 10 new members," Mr. Quinn said. "So we're working together. The benefits have proven themselves."

The Association this week announced the addition of its five newest members, including Bruegger's, Chocolates by Design, Merrill Lynch, Perfecto's Cafe and Royal Jewelers.

The Association raised \$9,000,

including a donation from the town, for Christmas decorations this year. Instead of wreaths this year, the association bought large reusable banners for \$3,800 that read "Joy" and "Peace" and have doves on them. The banners went up on poles along Main Street last weekend.

The Center Association also publishes a calendar of its holiday events that is available in all member stores. Upcoming events include the Association's Holiday Open House tomorrow night, Friday, Dec. 3, when all stores will be open until 10 p.m. There will be carolers, ice sculptures and hay rides along Main Street, refreshments in the stores and a visit from Santa Claus.

Staying open later is something the Center Association is trying to get all its members to do this season.

"After Dec. 3, many of the stores will be open every night until 8 p.m.," Mr. Quinn said. "We know we have better products and service than any where in the vicinity. We need to be open so our customers can get these products and services."

EDITORIALS

Help is available

It's the holidays. For many of us, that means the family reunited around the dining room table, a reunion with Andover High School classmates, dusting off the holiday decorations, or sending cards to friends.

But the holidays are difficult for a lot of people. Financial constraints may make it impossible to meet the expectations of others. Or if someone has died and this is the first Christmas or Hanukkah without that loved one, it could be difficult to get through the holidays.

For young adults returning home after a semester at college, it sometimes is difficult to fit back in with the family. Things seem different, the student is no longer a child.

Whatever the source of pain, if there is a problem, loneliness or feelings of despair, there are many people in this community who care, who understand what it feels like not to belong, or to be lonely, and who can help.

At Andover High School alone, there is a counseling department that understands and cares, and is available. Yes, AHS counselors have many duties related to helping seniors get into college, but those counselors can and will put those appointments aside if someone needs to talk with a friend.

We called Samaritans of the Merrimack Valley this week, at 688-6607, and found a very pleasant, kind voice at the other end, who said someone answers the line 24 hours a day. The volunteers who answer that line have been trained to listen, to understand and to be helpful. In addition, whatever a person wishes to talk about is kept confidential by the Samaritans.

We also called Greater Lawrence Mental Health, 683-3128, and found that line staffed by a therapist 24 hours a day. A therapist will talk with a person by phone, or is available to meet face to face, should the person wish that. And if talking isn't enough, Greater Lawrence Mental Health offers pre-screening if hospitalization is needed.

And don't forget the clergy. A clergy person understands, too, and is trained to listen and to offer comfort.

Here's the message: People care and many are trained to help.

Don't suffer in silence or wait until it feels too late.



Photo by Lisa Adelsberger

Yvonne Lauzon of Lawrence waits in front of Old Town Hall on Main Street for the bus after spending the day shopping in downtown Andover. The downtown will hold a Holiday Open House tomorrow, Friday, from 6 to 10 p.m. when stores will be open, Main Street will be closed, carolers will entertain, Santa will be present, a horse drawn carriage will be on the street and the Andover Garden Club will present the Festival of Trees upstairs in Old Town Hall. See the entertainment pages for further information.

The pain is real, and I can/will hear it

By Perry Colmore

I know a guy who when he went away to college and returned for the holidays, his bedroom was gone, turned into a den, and evidence that he lived at home was all shoved into one kitchen drawer. That man is more than 50 years old today, but he still talks about it.

My children, ages 21 and 23, were home this past week, and things

have changed for them, too. Neither of them have their own bedroom any longer. Yes, there are beds

for them to sleep in, we made sure some of their favorite foods were in the house, and we turned over a car to them whenever they needed it.

Still, lots of things have changed, and that's difficult. It's difficult for the parents, and it's difficult for the kids.



several adult children recommends planning ahead and negotiating with children when they come home for the holidays. She likes to make sure that her children's needs that can be met, are. For instance, it's no big deal to delay a meal so someone who is accustomed to taking a morning run before breakfast can do so. Or if someone is a vegetarian, or someone is allergic to some food, then that person's needs are met.

If the parents want their children to attend a party or concert with them, it's best to talk about it ahead of time, so no one will be disappointed, or left hanging.

My son recently was saying that it is difficult to lose your bedroom, especially when you're still in college and so all you have is a dorm room somewhere. Actually, my son was saying he feels homeless because he is finishing up a semester in Washington, D.C., where he has been for just one semester. He normally goes to college in Colorado, but took one semester in Washington, and now is taking off the semester that begins after Christmas. He will be working in Michigan, trying to save money so he can travel for a

semester before going back to college.

I got all agitated and guilty when he said he was feeling homeless. And I tried "to fix" him and the situation. Of course the situation can't be fixed, so I made it worse by agitating.

It was a bit like when he was 4 and fell down, and his knee was bleeding. If I told him to pick himself up, it doesn't hurt that much, I was denying him his feelings. So I would say whatever he said: "I know it must hurt. It hurts a lot." He would soon recover, recognizing that I accepted and validated his feelings.

That's what he needed this time, and he told me so. If I tried "to fix" the situation of no real bedroom, or his feeling of homelessness, he would feel bad that he was making me feel guilty, and so he would clam up and not share his pain. So what I needed to do was to take a deep breath, and to let him feel his feelings.

It's difficult when things change at home, when you no longer have your own bedroom, when the household doesn't really revolve around you anymore. So I say, "You are very important to me and I love you, but

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LETTERS

Stop bashing the Royals

Editor, *Townsmen*:

I think it's time to call an end to bashing the Royals, even the "Brits" have called a moratorium. Downtown Andover is not a cookie pattern of look-alike shops, with cute white Colonial facades, brick sidewalks and ivy-covered buildings, yearning for past decades.

The downtown has become vibrant and alive and new businesses are opening at a rapid pace and appear to be doing well. These new businesses are waking up the sometimes boring, humdrum shops that have survived on Main Street over the years. Royal Jewelers is certainly an eye opener for the town; some residents may be offended by the size, color scheme or the bars on the windows. We are all entitled to our opinion and particular tastes, but we should not dictate what others should do with their property unless it is contrary to bylaws and ordinances of the town.

Apparently, the building department and those responsible for approving plans were not appalled by the look of the new Royal Jewelers; it is certainly better than looking at an abandoned CVS store, with debris strewn around inside.

Should we dictate to the doughnut shop that pink and orange are '60s colors and that their signs should be changed to gray and maroon or tell McDonald's to square off those Golden Arches and cover them in glen plaid?

If we want to take a good look at urban blight, all we have to do is drive down Park Street and view those dismal properties, the abandoned bowling alley and the decaying rot at the junk yard.

Enough Royal bashing and let's concentrate on more important town issues.

Elliot R. Aronson
Chestnut Street

YOUR LETTERS are welcome and due Monday, at 5 p.m.

I can/ will hear the pain

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you are a grownup now, and making your way toward having your own nest."

Change is difficult, even painful, but hearing that pain and acknowledging it is our job as parents.

And yes, I know I have written about this subject previously, and most likely will continue to do so. That way maybe I will remember it, and be able to hear my son right away, and believe he doesn't need "fixing."

She prefers the wreaths to the new banners

Editor, *Townsmen*:

I have a few comments and questions concerning the red banners that say "Joy and peace" hung on every pole on Main Street. I believe that this message is quite beautiful, but who made the decision not to put up Andover's traditional wreaths?

I thought the wreaths were a tasteful decoration that symbolized Andover's festivity during the holiday season. They always did go very nicely with the lights on the trees. The red banners clash with the colors of Royal Jewelers and don't you think we already have enough banners in downtown Andover? We've got banners advertising Silverado athletic club, Vincenzo's Restaurant and Bruegger's bagels, all in the same building. Now we have red banners on every pole.

It seems to me that the people of Andover are no longer getting a say of how the downtown looks anymore. I think that some traditions just shouldn't be changed. The wreaths were always so classic and tasteful. Before we know it, Andover will look just like every other town.

Megan Gregg
age 13
11 Pasho St.

Sex ed in school goes too far

Editor, *Townsmen*:

The reason for my writing today is to alert parents of sixth-graders to the nature of the school sex-ed program. I guess that it was intuition which led me down to the Doherty Middle School to investigate the sex-ed program and I was shocked at what I found.

First of all, these 11- and 12-year-old children are put in a mixed (boy and girl) classroom when the male and female anatomy is explained, as well as all physical aspects, etc. The children are then instructed to make a model of any sex organ (using construction paper) and these are later hung up in the classroom. For the many naturally shy students, this could be extremely difficult. I think that it's insensitive and almost abusive. I see no reason for this exercise.

I then viewed two videos which I considered to be very offensive. They are *What's Happening to Me?* by New World Productions and *Headful of Questions*, sponsored in part by Planned Parenthood. My opinion is that the school, in employing these videos, is going far beyond its limits in education our children about sex. Masturbation is verbally explained and promoted (do it). Fornication is depicted through a cute college couple "in love." Homosexuality is mentioned and receives a stamp of approval. Condoms

'It is obvious that I strongly disagree with the messages being put forth through this program. The sex-ed teacher and I agreed that we held different values and I suppose that there are some parents who will find this program to be OK.'

are explained and offered as a positive choice. Throughout these videos, there is not one mention of chastity, virginity, self-control, marriage or mutual respect. None.

It is obvious that I strongly disagree with the messages being put forth through this program. The sex-ed teacher and I agreed that we held different values and I suppose that there are some parents who will find this program to be OK.

Fortunately, I am able to hold my own children out of this program and I urge all other concerned parents to take the time to view these videos and to decide for yourselves.

Helen Taylor
4 Elysian Drive



Photo by Lisa Adelsberger

Mary Rescigno, 71, of Wilmington, was taken to Lawrence General Hospital with facial lacerations and other injuries after her car crashed into a school bus near 50 Essex St. at 1:54 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 30. She later died at the hospital. The driver of the Trombly school bus was not injured, and there were no students on the bus at the time. Details of the accident were not available on deadline.

AlAnon and AA meet in Andover

AlAnon, a 12-step support program for those related to drinking problems, meets Tuesday nights at 8 at Ballardvale United

Church, 23 Clark Road.

Alcoholics Anonymous meets Friday nights at 8 at South Church, 41 Central St.

MORTGAGEE'S NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By Virtue and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain mortgage given by Eugene V. Zaffini and Geraldine V. Zaffini to Progressive Consumers Federal Credit Union dated April 20, 1989, recorded with Essex County (Northern District) Registry of Deeds, Book 2920, Page 030, of which mortgage the undersigned is the assignee and present holder, for breach of the conditions of said Mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at Public Auction at 2:00 P.M. on December 14th, 1993, on the mortgaged premises as below described, being known as 10 Dascomb Road, Andover, Essex County, Massachusetts, all and singular the premises described in said mortgage

To wit:

The land at 10 Dascomb Road, Andover, Essex County, Massachusetts, being shown as Lot A1 on a plan entitled "Plan of Land in Andover, Mass., showing a change in Lot Lines", dated July 12, 1983, Owner T. Wilson, et ux, & P. Chitadini, et ux, by Andover Consultants, Inc., recorded with Essex North District Registry of Deeds, Plan No. 9230

SAID PREMISES ARE SUBJECT TO THE FOLLOWING ENCUMBRANCES:

1. Title to and rights of the public and others in so much of the premises as lies within the bounds of Dascomb Road and Andover Street

2. Deed to the inhabitants of the Town of Andover, dated June 8, 1950, recorded with said Deeds, Book 737, Page 88.

3. Taking by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts County Commissioners for the relocation of Dascomb Road and for a slope easement, dated May 31, 1960, recorded with said Deeds, Book 916, Page 26.

4. Taking by the County Commissioners for the layout of Andover Street, dated September 14, 1971, recorded with said Deeds, Book 1179, Page 782.

5. Notice of Variance by the Town of Andover Board of Appeals, dated March 6, 1987, recorded with said Deeds, Book 2465, Page 111.

6. Order of Conditions by the Andover Conservation Commission, recorded with said Deeds, Book 1605, Page 127, as affected by a Certificate of Compliance, recorded with said Deeds, Book 1715, Page 259.

7. Twenty (20) foot wide sewer easement more particularly set forth in a Deed to Douglas R. Milfin, et al, Trustees, dated April 11, 1983, recorded with said Deeds, Book 1666, Page 258, as shown on a plan entitled "Plan of Easement and Andover, Mass.", dated February 23, 1983, recorded with said Deeds as Plan No. 97711.

Subject to and with the benefit of easements, reservations, restrictions, and takings of record if any, insofar as the same are

now in force and applicable.

For our title see deed from Thomas J. Wilson and Claire E. Wilson, dated May 26, 1987 and record in Essex North Registry of Deeds in Book 2656 Page 298.

The above premises will be sold subject to all outstanding tax titles, municipal or other public taxes, assessments, betterments, or liens, if any, and unpaid condominium fees and charges which are or may become a lien, if any.

TERMS OF SALE

Ten Thousand (\$10,000.00) Dollars will be required to be paid in cash or by Certified Check by the Purchaser at the time and place of sale as earnest money. The balance of the purchase price is to be paid in cash or by Bank Cashiers Check or Bank Treasurers Check or Certified Check upon delivery of the deed within thirty (30) days of the date of sale at the office of Donald H. Carvin, Esquire, 44 Adams Street, Braintree, Massachusetts. The successful bidder to sign a Written Memorandum of Sale upon acceptance of bid. In the event that the successful bidder at the foreclosure sale shall default according to the terms of this Notice of Sale and/or fail to comply with any terms of the Memorandum of Sale executed at the time of the foreclosure, by failing to complete the purchase or otherwise, the Seller retains the option, at Seller's sole discretion, to complete the sale by selling the Premises, subject to the terms and conditions of sale stated therein, to the next highest, qualified bidder. Other terms will be announced at the sale.

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Pvt. Cynthia H. Walkup has completed basic training at Fort Jackson, Columbia, S.C. The 1989 graduate of Andover High School is the daughter of Amy E. Walkup of 16 Olde Berry Road.


Air Force Airman Basic Brian M. Dick, son of Wayne A. Dick of 203 Jenkins Road, graduated from Air Force basic train-

ing at Lackland Air Force Base in San Antonio, Texas.

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To-wit:

That certain parcel of land situated in Andover, in the County of Essex and said Commonwealth, bounded and described as follows:

SOUTHEASTERLY by the northwesterly line of Wabanaki Way, one hundred ten and 08/100 (110.08) feet,
SOUTHERLY at the junction of Wabanaki Way and Shawnee Circle, thirty five and 78/100 (35.78) feet;
SOUTHWESTERLY one hundred twenty nine and 01/100 (129.01) feet, and

NORTHWESTERLY ninety five and 03/100 (95.03) feet by the northeasterly and southeasterly curved line of Shawnee Circle
NORTHEASTERLY by lot twenty (20) on said plan one hundred thirty five and 61/100 (135.61) feet; and
EASTERLY by lot eighteen (18) on said plan two hundred five (205) feet

All of said boundaries are determined by the Court to be located as shown on Plan No. 27247C, Sheet 1, drawn by Clinton F. Goodwin, Surveyor, dated October 1, 1971, as modified and approved by the Court, filed in Land Registration Office, a copy of a portion of which is filed with Certificate of Title No. 7242, Book 48, Page 573, and being designated as lot nineteen (19) thereon. So much of the above described land as is included within the area marked "Lawrence Electric Company Easement" approximately shown on said plan is subject to easements as set forth in two grants made by James J. Abbott et ux to the Lawrence Gas and Electric Company, one dated December 29, 1941 duly recorded in Book 649, Page 59 and the other dated February 4, 1942, duly recorded in Book 649, Page 335, as affected by an instrument dated July 30, 1957, recorded in Book 858, Page 491. Subject to restrictions and approval as set forth in Document No. 28890.

For Grantor's title, see Certificate of Title No. 8558 recorded with Essex North District Registry of Deeds Land Registration Office, Book 57, Page 437.

Said premises will be sold subject to and/or with the benefit of any and all restrictions, easements, improvements, covenants, outstanding tax titles, municipal or other public taxes, assessments, liens or claims in the nature of liens, and existing encumbrances of record created prior to the mortgage, if any there be.

TERMS OF SALE:
FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$5,000.00) deposit by certified or cashier's check - no cash - will be required to be made at the time and place of the sale. The balance upon delivery of the deed within thirty (30) days thereafter at the offices of Shocket & Dockser.

The deposit paid at the time of the sale shall be forfeited if the purchaser does not comply strictly with the terms of the sale. The purchaser will be responsible for all closing costs, state documentary stamps and recording fees.

Other terms, if any, to be announced at the sale.

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Marine Pfc. Daniel J. Waitkevitch, a 1992 graduate of Andover High School, recently graduated from Alcraft Firefighting and Rescue School.

Pfc. Waitkevitch joined the Marine Corps in December 1992.

Maraine Sgt. Robert D. Wilson, son of Herbert S. and Elizabeth Wilson of 19 Sagamore Drive, received the Selected Marine Corps Reserve Medal while assigned with 1st Battalion, 25th Marines, 4th Marine Division, Camp Edwards.

He received the medal for honest and faithful service while actively participating in the reserve program for a four-year period.

The 1984 graduate of Andover High School joined the Marine Corps in September 1988.

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ARRESTS

Wednesday, Nov. 24 - At 9:49 a.m., a 16-year-old male student from Lawrence was arrested at the Greater Lawrence Technical School and charged with being a disorderly person.

At 10 p.m., Joanne Wright, 46, of Tewksbury, was arrested on Dascomb Road and charged with operating under the influence (alcohol).

Thursday, Nov. 25 - At 2:43 a.m., Howard F. Abernathy, 22, of 142 Hidden Road, was arrested on North Main Street and charged with operating under the influence (alcohol), speeding and a red-light violation.

At 11:30 p.m., three men were arrested in Shawshen Square and charged with causing malicious damage to a motor vehicle for allegedly slashing the tires and seats of a car after a female driver refused to give them a ride. Santo R. Rodriguez, 21, Luis E. Gonzales, 19, and Eddie Gonzales, 18, all of Lawrence, were each charged with malicious damage. The woman told police she pulled into

Shawshen Plaza to use a bathroom and the three men approached her car and asked for a ride but she refused. She then reported the damage at the police station.

Saturday, Nov. 27 - At 10:41 p.m., Mark Ferris, 17, of 15 Woburn St., and three juvenile males from Andover were arrested at The Park, 36 Bartlet St., and charged with being minors in possession of alcohol. One of the three juveniles, a 15-year-old, was also charged with illegal possession of a class D substance (marijuana) and possession of a firearm (canister of mace) without a firearms identification card. The three juveniles were released to their parents.

Sunday, Nov. 28 - At 6:31 p.m., Emilia F. Cantu, 26, of 600D Brookside Drive, was arrested on North Street and charged with operating after suspension of his license and with an improper registration.

At 7:56 p.m., William J. Cardoza, 34, of Manchester, N.H., was arrested on River Road and charged with operating defective equip-

ment, operating after suspension of his license and giving a false name to a police officer, and on a Lowell warrant for selling heroin and a Taunton warrant for possession of dangerous drugs.

At 10:01 p.m., Frances M. Stoelzel, 21, of Salem, N.H., was arrested on River Road and charged with operating after suspension and with defective equipment.

Wendy Holmes, 27, of Lowell, was arrested at the Ramada Rolling Green Hotel on Lowell Street and charged on a Lowell warrant for assault and battery with a dangerous weapon.

INCIDENTS
Tuesday, Nov. 23 - At 2:43 a.m., a student at the Monican Center at Merrimack College was taken to Lawrence General Hospital with alcohol poisoning. Another female student was taken to the hospital four hours earlier after vomiting blood, an incident reportedly caused by alcohol abuse.

Wednesday, Nov. 24 - At 10:13 p.m., a Cheever Circle woman reported she was frightened when a bird flew down her

chimney. No bird was found.

Thursday, Nov. 25 - At 10:43 p.m., a peeping Tom was reported at the Ramada Hotel Rolling Green on Lowell Street.

Friday, Nov. 26 - At 11:57 a.m., a North Street woman reported that, while visiting a friend on South Main Street, her dog bit someone and the bite required stitches.

At about midnight, a 209A emergency restraining order was served to a man on Chandler Road after a domestic problem.

Saturday, Nov. 27 - At 10:02 a.m., a sick raccoon was killed by police on Mary Lou Lane.

At 8:41 p.m., the front of the police station was egged. Two youths were seen fleeing toward Pearson Street.

Monday, Nov. 29 - At 10:02 a.m., a rock was reported thrown through a window at Dundee Park.

At 10:46 a.m., a sign was reported spray painted on Federal Street.

At 1:38 p.m., a 209A restraining order was served on Ballardvale Road.

At 7:27 p.m., a 209A restraining order was served on Bowdoin Road.

ACCIDENTS
Tuesday, Nov. 23 - At 8:22 a.m., a minor accident was reported near 96 N. Main St.

At 5:10 p.m., a minor accident was reported on Dascomb Road at Frontage Road.

At 10:36 p.m., state police handled an accident on Interstate 93 north near Route 133.

Wednesday, Nov. 24 - At 10:49 a.m., a minor accident, which occurred on Nov. 20 near 20 Summer St., was reported.

At 5:12 p.m., state police handled a minor two-car accident on the ramp to Route 495 south from Route 28.

At 7:06 p.m., a minor hit-and-run accident was reported near Shawshen Square after one car scratched another and drove off, the driver apparently

unaware of the contact.

Thursday, Nov. 25 - At 9:57 a.m., an accident was reported near 200 Dascomb Road.

At 10:05 a.m., lawn and hedge damage caused by a car overnight was reported near 305 N. Main St.

Friday, Nov. 26 - At 5:32 p.m., a hit-and-run accident was reported near 60 Main St.

Saturday, Nov. 27 - At 6:03 p.m., an Elm Street Garage tow truck was involved in a two-car accident near 209 N. Main St.

At 9:32 p.m., a two-car accident was reported near 289 Lowell St.

Monday, Nov. 29 - At 9:31 a.m., a minor accident was reported near 56 Union St.

At 11:21 a.m., an accident was report-



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ed near 3 Barbara Lane.

At 3:09 p.m., a minor accident was reported near 68 Main St.

At 6 p.m., a hit-and-run accident was reported on private property off Shattuck Road.

BREAKS

Tuesday, Nov. 23 - At 3:48 p.m., a door was found open and items were reported missing from a house on Bellevue Road.

Wednesday, Nov. 24 - At 6:13 p.m., a truck break was reported at Grill 93 on River Road.

Friday, Nov. 26 - At 1:36 p.m., an attempted break was reported and tools were taken from a porch at a house on Lowell Street.

Saturday, Nov. 27 - At 9:25 a.m., a driver's-side window was reported smashed and a stereo was taken in a car break on Brookside Drive.

At 1:24 p.m., a leather jacket was reported taken in a car break in Shaw-shen Plaza.

Sunday, Nov. 28 - At 1:28 a.m., a car break was reported

at Andover Country Club.

Monday, Nov. 29 - At 4:31 p.m., a house break was reported on Haggetts Pond Road.

THEFTS

Tuesday, Nov. 23 - At 10:12 a.m., a television and videocassette recorder were reported taken from the John Hancock Insurance office at 100 Haverhill St.

At 6:39 p.m., an employee's wallet was reported stolen from an office at Park Street Village.

Thursday, Nov. 25 - At 12:31 p.m., a woman reported her daughter's bike stolen on Elm Street.

Friday, Nov. 26 - At 10:37 a.m., jewelry was reported missing from a house on Robandy Road.

Monday, Nov. 29 - At 6:48 p.m., a saxophone was reported taken from Doherty Middle School on Bartlet Street.

VANDALISM

Friday, Nov. 26 - At 9:27 a.m., a car window was reported broken on North Street.

At 12:01 p.m., a rear car window was reported shot out

with a BB gun on Topping Road.

At 10:51 p.m., three kids were caught placing obstacles on Ballardvale Road. The three were taken home to their parents.

CAR THEFTS

Tuesday, Nov. 23 - At 4:41 p.m., a 1988 GMC Jimmy \$1500 was reported taken from Balmoral Street. (The Jimmy was recovered at 7:58 the next morning in Lawrence.)

Wednesday, Nov. 24 - At 3:06 p.m., Lawrence police recovered another car that had been reported stolen in Andover.

At 3:20 p.m., an attempted theft was reported after two men were seen smashing a window and breaking into a car in the Hewlett-Packard Co. parking lot on Minuteman Drive. A hammer was left on the front seat of the car.

Thursday, Nov. 25 - At 10:41 a.m., a Chevrolet Cavalier was reported taken

from North Main Street. (It was recovered in Lawrence at 5:52 p.m.)

Friday, Nov. 26 - At 10:52 a.m., a 1985 Chevrolet Celebrity was reported taken from North Main Street. (The Celebrity was recovered in Lawrence at 7:55 p.m.)

At 5:07 p.m., a car stolen from 45 Haverhill St. was recovered in Lawrence before it was reported stolen.

Saturday, Nov. 27 - At 8:21 a.m., a 1989 Pontiac Sunbird was reported stolen from Spring Valley Drive. (It was recovered in Lawrence at 7:53 p.m.)

At 8:27 a.m., a car reported stolen from Brookside Drive was recovered on Spring Valley Drive.

At 11:50 a.m., a 1988 Chevrolet reported taken from Lawrence was recovered on Webster Street.

Monday, Nov. 29 - At 6:09 p.m., a car reported stolen in Andover was recovered in Lawrence.

NEWS CALENDAR

THURSDAY, DEC. 2

School Building Committee, meet with elementary school architects, 7 p.m., third floor, town offices.

Board of Assessors, 9 a.m., first floor, town offices.

Board of Appeals, regular monthly meeting, 7 p.m., Memorial Hall Library.

SATURDAY, DEC. 4

Sale of UNICEF cards, 9 a.m.-noon, Shawmut Bank, 68 Main St.

Board of Appeals, discussion of petitions of Dec. 2, 9:30 a.m., Memorial Hall Library.

Leaves, 8 a.m.-4 p.m., last day to take

leaves, grass clippings and shredded yard waste to leaf composting site at Bald Hill on High Plain Road.

MONDAY, DEC. 6

Town Warrant opens for articles for spring Town Meeting. For more information call town clerk, 470-3800.

TUESDAY, DEC. 7

School Committee, 6:30 p.m. executive session, 7:30 p.m., regular meeting, third floor, school administration building.

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 8

Free glucose screening clinic for

Andover residents over 60; Andover Senior Center, Whittier Street, 8-10 a.m. Call the Senior Center at 470-3830 for an appointment.

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Kaija Gilmore named building inspector

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Ms. Gilmore, of 83 Elm St., has worked as one of three local building inspectors with Mr. DeSalvo for the past several years.

Ms. Gilmore was trained and licensed as an architect in Finland. She received a master's degree in architecture from the University of Helsinki.

"All planners have to have an architectural background in Finland," she said.

In 1968 Ms. Gilmore came to the United States with a United States government grant and studied at the University of Pennsylvania where she earned a master's degree in city planning.

The nature of planning in the United States is different from city planning in Europe, where the emphasis is on physical planning, she said in an interview Tuesday evening. Emphasis in this country is stronger on political considerations, social and economic planning, she said.

Describing herself as a "nuts and bolts person," she worked in architectural construction for architects Isaak and Isaak in Manchester, N.H., after a short period with The Architects Collaborative Inc. in Cambridge.

With Isaak and Isaak she worked as a site administrator for eight years for a wide variety of projects. The firm builds large civic construction projects - nursing homes, hospitals, municipal buildings.

Ms. Gilmore said she is particularly interested in construction, inspection and law enforcement. She is licensed as inspector of buildings in Massachusetts and New Hampshire. She has been certified by the National Council of Architectural Registration Board.

"It is a career that I aimed to pursue. It is nice to see a progression in a chosen career," she said.

Ms. Gilmore will be emphasizing good customer service as building inspector here. She said members of her department will be educating themselves in the computer permit processing system.

"We want to be able to serve the very sophisticated array of clients in Andover," she said.

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With all the recent building and renovating in town, "there's barely a house I haven't been in in Andover," she said.

October building permits granted by the town are listed on page 14.

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The Greater Lowell Branch of the American Heart Association needs volunteers on a local level.

Volunteer activities range from education through local school and organizations to communications and fund-raising. One recent event that the American Heart Association ran was a Walk in Lowell, in October. Teams and individuals raised funds while raising awareness of healthful exercise such as walking.

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The chapter meets Thursdays at First United Methodist Church, Route 133 at Route 114, North Andover from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. For more information, call 475-5556 or 475-8186.

Group will take blood pressures

The Andover Council on Aging holds blood pressure clinics on Wednesdays at 2 p.m. at the Senior Center, Whittier Court.

Elder Services seeks volunteers

Elder Services of the Merrimack Valley Inc. is recruiting men and women to provide Lawrence elders with personal safety and crime prevention information.

A three-part training series for volunteers will focus on specific personal safety information, crime prevention techniques, elder abuse laws and presentation skills. Volunteers are asked for a minimum commitment of four hours monthly.

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Residential tax rate up 7 %, Industrial rate up 24 %

By Don Staruk

Selectmen Monday night increased the tax classification shift from 120 percent to 135 percent, raising the average residential tax rate about 7 percent from last year and the commercial and industrial rate 24 percent.

"We're looking at a 7.1 or 7.2 percent increase in our average residential tax bill," Assessor William Krajewski said Tuesday.

Residential rates increased from \$14.10 per \$1,000 to \$15.14. A house valued at \$250,000 last year paid \$3,525 in property taxes. If the value of the house has remained the same, that home owner will pay \$3,785 this year, an increase of \$260.

The commercial and industrial property increased from \$18.36 per \$1,000 to \$22.78, or \$4.42.

Greg Doyle, president of Doyle Lumber Co. on River Road, an outspoken critic of the tax shift, said, "In my eyes the commercial and industrial pays 50 percent more taxes than the residential, and (Selectman Jerry Silverman) calls that equitable?"

"We're disappointed to hear of the results regarding tax classification," Mike Morris, president of the Andover Chamber of Commerce, said Tuesday.

Of the 20 communities in Essex County that use tax classification (14 communities don't use it), only Andover and Swampscott are not financially troubled communities, he said.

"Tax classification has almost become a tool used in desperation by those

very distressed communities. I don't know why Andover is in this group," Mr. Morris said.

The classification would make any company looking to come here shy away, he said.

"The large companies have let the Chamber of Commerce know they are very dissatisfied with the situation," Mr. Morris said.

Board disagrees

After about an hour of discussion amongst themselves Monday night, board members approved the 135 percent shift with a 3-2 vote. Selectmen William Downs, Gerald Silverman and William Wesson voted in favor, while James Barenboim and Larry Larsen voted against the 15 percent increase.

Mr. Silverman said this was the biggest change in the shift since the town started using the tax shift, and that while it adds a burden to the residential property owners, it would have been too much of a burden on commercial and industrial owners to leave it at 120 percent.

Mr. Barenboim reiterated his previously long-time opposition to the classification shift.

"Just having different classes of property is classification," Mr. Barenboim said, adding that the tax shift unfairly burdens businesses.

"They're paying more by being a Commercial/Industrial property already," Mr. Barenboim said. "We're asking them to pay more, no matter what it's worth. I would like to see a gradual reduction in the classification" (shift).

He said he was elected to represent all the taxpayers, including businesses. "If we're going to pay taxes on what our property is worth, then let's pay it on what it's worth. Don't shift it to someone else," Mr. Barenboim said.

"This year is probably the most difficult year," Mr. Wesson said of the board's annual classification vote. The drastic change in the C/I values, which dropped about 25 percent from last year, made it difficult, he said. Mr. Wesson said the average residential tax bill would go up \$300 with no change

in the shift.

"And I have a problem with that," he said. "I can't buy that. I think what we have to do is spread that equally."

"I share Mr. Barenboim's feeling about the overall nature of the law," Dr. Larsen said.

"Personally I can't vote for any increase in the tax classification unless the Board of Selectmen" adopts a policy to address the problems with the shift and devise a better formula for setting the tax rate, Dr. Larsen said.

He compared the classification shift to a "meat cleaver" system of taxation.

He said he was appalled at the 25 percent drop in C/I values. But Dr. Larsen also did not want to leave residents paying a 12 percent increase.

Mr. Downs said he was concerned about elder residents living on fixed incomes and the effect a large increase would have.

Mr. Barenboim said businesses can only pass along so much in cost increases to their customers before they can't be competitive, and that they also have to borrow to pay for the increases.

"There will proba-

bly not be one commercial/industrial property that will pay an increase in taxes," due to the drop in their values, Mr. Silverman countered.

Board members talked of sending the wrong message to businesses by increasing the shift, especially those looking to move here.

"I dispute the fact that any change is going to send the wrong message," Mr. Silverman said. "One hundred fifty percent would be the wrong message and would say, 'Let's stick it to them.'"

A moderate increase in the tax shift would still allow C/I tax bills to go down in general, Mr. Silverman said.

The first motion for a shift to 135 percent was defeated 2-2-1, with Mr. Wesson abstaining. Mr. Wesson then proposed a shift to 148 percent, which would have

meant about a 4 percent residential increase, but that did not even get a second.

Mr. Barenboim countered with a motion for keeping the shift at 120 percent, which Dr. Larsen seconded "for discussion purposes," but that was defeated 2-3. Mr. Wesson then re-introduced the motion for 135 percent and it was approved.

The board then appointed Dr. Larsen and Mr. Barenboim as a subcommittee of two to create a task force to study the

issue.

The tax classification shift is a mechanism the town uses to balance the portion of the town's tax levy, the amount raised through property taxes, that will be paid by residential and commercial and industrial property owners. The tax levy will go up about \$2 million this year, to about \$46 million, or about 4.4 percent.

Since the town began using a tax shift, it has maintained a roughly 65/35 ratio, with 65 percent of the town's tax levy being paid by residential.

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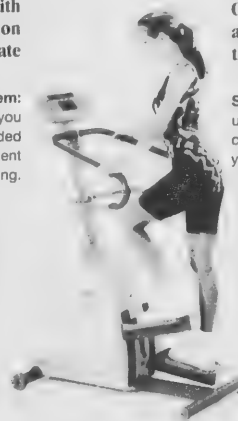
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THURSDAY, DEC. 2

Fostering Self-Esteem in Children: Search for Islands of Competence, lecture by Dr. Robert Brooks, sponsored by West Elementary PTO, West Elementary auditorium, 7:15 p.m.; open to the public.

The Nutcracker, presented by Ballet Theatre of Boston, featuring Andrei Ustinov and Elena Martinson of the Kirov Ballet, Durgin Hall, UMass Lowell, corner of Pawtucket and Wilder streets, opening night, through Dec. 5, 7:30 p.m.; \$13-\$19, discounts for students and children; 934-4444.

Holy Family Men's Guild dinner, Central Catholic High School auditorium, 300 Hampshire St., Lawrence, 6 p.m. social hour, 7 p.m. dinner; \$25; Robert Kelley 688-6900.

Clinical Approach to Asthma, lecture by Dr. Mark Windt, sponsored by

sored by Breathless Inc., Haverhill Public Library, 6:30-8 p.m.; geared toward health professionals, free; 372-ASMA.

Wealthiest Man in Town, presented by Amesbury Playhouse, 194 Main St., Amesbury, opening night, through Dec. 19, call for times and prices; 388-9444.

Rehearsal for Messiah sing, First Calvary Baptist Church, 586 Mass. Ave., North Andover, 8:30 p.m., for Dec. 19 performance at 7 p.m., bring Schirmer edition; 685-1502.

Healing Power of Laughter, presented by nurse humorist Carol O'Flaherty, part of Life Long Learning Series, library conference area, Haverhill campus, Northern Essex Community College, 2 p.m.; 374-3688.

Pingree School art students exhibit, gallery, Pingree School, 537 Highland St., South Hamilton, 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Monday-Friday,

opening today, through Jan. 13; 468-4415.

FRIDAY, DEC. 3

Academy Symphony and Chamber orchestras, Amadeus Ensemble and Corelli Society, featuring *Legend of Babushka* narrated by Robert J. Lurtsema and Mendelssohn *Concerto in e minor, Op. 64* with Rex Chao '94, violin, Cochran Chapel, Phillips Academy, 7:30 p.m.; free and open to the public; 749-4263.

Opening reception, student fall trimester art exhibit, Gelb Gallery, George Washington Hall, and Addison Gallery, Phillips Academy, 6 p.m.; free and open to the public, 749-4007.

Festival of Trees, sponsored by the Andover Garden Club, Old Town Hall, Main Street, noon-4 p.m., 6-9 p.m.; \$3.50 adults, \$2.50 seniors, \$1 children under 12; Pam Orlandella 475-0047.



Legend of Babushka will be narrated by Robert J. Lurtsema (in photo), and Mendelssohn's *Concerto in e minor, Op. 64* will be featured in Cochran Chapel at Phillips Academy, tomorrow, Friday, at 7:30 p.m. The performance is free and open to the public. Call 749-4263.

Art show and sale by Andover Artists Guild, Old Town Hall, Main Street, 7-9 p.m. free admission.

Holiday open house, sponsored by the Andover Center Association; carolers, ice sculptures, hay rides, refreshments and Santa, 6-10 p.m., Main Street closed to traffic.

Bradford College dance company, *Chalkovsky Variations* and other original works, Kemper Theater, Denworth Hall, Bradford College, 320 S. Main St., Bradford, 8 p.m.; \$5 adults, \$4 students, children and seniors; 374-0076.

Death Trap, Tang Theatre, Phillips Academy, call for times 749-4007.

The Nutcracker, see Thursday's listing, 7:30 p.m.

Haverhill Christmas Stroll, craft fair on Merrimack Street, historic society crafters on Washington Street and Sacred Heart Church fair in Bradford, 2-9 p.m., tree lighting on Washington Square at 6 p.m.; 372-7161, Ext.

224.

Holiday concert, featuring *Amahl and the Night Visitors*, *Magnificat* of Schubert and carols, Polymnia Choral Society, First Congregational Church, 121 Foster St., Melrose; \$8 adults, \$5 seniors and students; (617) 284-2430.

Streetcar Named Desire, by Tennessee Williams, performed by Off Broadway Players, UMass Lowell, Mahoney Auditorium, South Campus, Lowell, 8 p.m., opening night; \$5 adults, \$4 students; 934-5123.

The Single Life All-TSL Christmas dance, Germano's, Route 38, Tewksbury, 8 p.m.; \$4, \$8 non-members; (617) 891-8750.

SATURDAY, DEC. 4

A Celebration of Christmas, sponsored by Christ Church, part of the proceeds to benefit the Lawrence Boys and Girls Club, baked goods, wreaths, handcrafted toys, decorations and knitted goods, 25 Central St., 9 a.m.-3

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Andover Firefighters Christmas Parade, originally scheduled for last Sunday, Nov. 28, was postponed because of bad weather. It will line up this Sunday, Dec. 5, at 12:30 p.m. and begins at 1:30 at town offices, proceeds down Whittier Street to Elm Square to Main Street to Punchard Avenue, returning to town offices. Call 470-0262 for more information. This is a shot from last year's parade, looking south on Main Street.

Center Association Holiday Open House is Friday night

Ho! Ho! Ho! It's almost that time once again.

Soon family and friends will get together for the holidays, sharing the holiday spirit and family traditions that make this time of year so special. What better place to begin this season's merrymaking than at the Holiday Open House in downtown Andover?

Tomorrow evening, Friday, Dec. 3, Main Street will be blocked off from 6 to 10 for the Andover Center Association's annual Holiday Open House, during

Carolers singing holiday tunes will replace the din of car traffic, and a horse-drawn hayride will be the vehicle of choice on Main Street.

Ice sculptures, Christmas karaoke and the Andover Garden Club's Festival of Trees will provide lots to see and do. The Salvation Army will collect for those in need, and even the jolly old elf himself, Santa Claus, will make a special trip to Andover to see who's been naughty or nice.

Free refreshments will be served inside the stores, and

DCS offers a variety of classes and events for the holidays

The Department of Community Services still has openings in upcoming classes.

Registration is still being accepted for Gingerbread House, Dec. 2 or Dec. 7; Christmas Tree Centerpiece, Dec. 6; Ballroom Dance I, II, III beginning Dec. 7; and Boxwood Tree, Dec. 13.

Space is also still available for the following trips:

- Delaney House, Thursday, Dec. 9;
- A new musical and "all-you-can-eat" feast, plus a trip to the Yankee

Candle Company for a tour and shopping;

- Newport Mansions, Sunday, Dec. 12;

- Le Grand David, Wednesday, Dec. 29. Enjoy the magic of the season with illusions in this "turn-of-the-century magic extravaganza";

- New Year's Eve in Montreal, Dec. 30-Jan. 1;

- First Night in Boston, Friday, Dec. 31.

Call DCS at 470-3800 for details.

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p.m., Caryn Harkins 470-3149.
Christmas Treasures fair, gingerbread houses, crafts, baked goods, St. Augustine's School, 26 Central St., 9 a.m.-4 p.m.

Kwanzaa celebration, readings and music by faculty, students and staff of the African-Latino-American Society of Phillips Academy, Cochran Chapel, Phillips Academy, 7 p.m.; free and open to the public; 475-4263.

Elizabeth Ann Larsen, violin



Elizabeth Ann Larsen

and Rebecca Plummer, piano recital, sponsored by Friends of Memorial Hall Library, Memorial Hall Library, 3 p.m.; free and open to the public.

Norma Gammon 475-6960.

Art show and sale by Andover Artists Guild, see Friday's listing, 10 a.m.-4 p.m.

Meatloaf dinner, sponsored by Andover chapter # 187 OES, Masonic Temple, 7 High St., 5-6:30 p.m.; \$4 adults, \$3 teens, \$2 children under 12 years; Priscilla Russell 470-1162.

Festival of Trees, see Friday's listing 10 a.m.-4 p.m.; Pam Orlan-della 475-0047.

Christmas Choral Festival, featuring the New England Classical Singers accompanied by Pythagorean Festival Orchestra and Hal Rodgers, baritone, performing Handel's *Dettingen Te Deum* and a selection of Christmas songs and carols, Church of St. Theresa, 63 Winter St., North Reading, 8 p.m.; \$10 adults, \$6 seniors and students; 688-2816.

Holly Christmas fair, jewelry, cookie booth, Christmas crafts and wreaths, games, silent auction, pancake breakfast, luncheon, Sacred Heart Parish, 321 S. Broadway, Lawrence, 9 a.m.-3 p.m.

Jay O' Callahan booksigning, author of *Orange Cheeks*, Andover Bookstore, 89R Main St., 11 a.m.-12:30 p.m.; 475-0143.



Jay O' Callahan

Merry Music Hall Christmas, with New England Brass Quintet, Christmas sing-along, Methuen Memorial Music Hall, Broadway, Methuen, \$7.50 adults, \$2.50 children; send check to Janet Jaber, 205 Forest St., Methuen, or call 688-0238.

Holiday bazaar, sponsored by



The Center for the Arts at the University of Massachusetts Lowell will present a Holiday Magic Spectacular on Sunday, Dec. 12, at 2 and 4 p.m. in Durgin Hall on the university's south campus at the corner of Pawtucket and Wilder streets. This special event is part of the Center's performing arts series for children and their families.

First United Methodist Church, Masonic Lodge, Old Center, North Andover, 9 a.m.-4 p.m.; Diane Norwood 521-3944.

The Nutcracker, see Thursday's listing, 7:30 p.m.

Bradford College dance company, see Friday's listing, 8 p.m.

Sacred Heart Church fair in Bradford, 9 a.m.-4 p.m.; Kevin Engler, 372-7161, Ext. 224.

Choral Society concert, First Baptist Church, Haverhill, 7 p.m.; Kevin Engler, 372-7161, Ext. 224.

Streetcar Named Desire, see Friday's listing, 8 p.m.

Christmas Carol, by Dickens, Piccadilly Theatre Company, Hammond Castle Museum, 80 Hesperus Ave., Gloucester, 7:30 p.m.; \$15; 352-2997.

SUNDAY, DEC. 5

Andover Firefighters Christ-

mas Parade (originally scheduled for Nov. 28 but postponed because of bad weather), forms at 12:30 p.m. and begins at 1:30 at town offices, proceeds down Whittier Street to Elm Square to Main Street to Punchard Avenue, returns to town offices; 470-0262.

Ceremony of Lessons and Carols, a ceremony of words and music, Academy Chorus and Fidelio Society, Cochran Chapel, Phillips Academy, 4:30 p.m.; free and open to the public; 749-4263.

Indian Ridge walking tour, co-sponsored by Andover Appalachian Mountain Club, AVIS and Andover Historical Society, meet leader Warren Lewis at Roger's Dell, 1:30 p.m.; \$2, free for members of any of the groups; 475-2236.

Merrimack Valley Philharmonic Orchestra Family Christmas

Concert, St. Joseph Church, School and Sparhawk streets, Amesbury, 2:30 p.m.; \$10 adults, \$7 students and seniors, \$2 children; 685-3505.

Art show and sale by Andover Artists Guild, see Friday's listing noon-4 p.m.

Festival of Trees, see Friday's listing, noon-4 p.m., raffle at 4 p.m.; Pam Orlan-della 475-0047.

Christmas concert featuring Boston Archdiocesan Boys Choir, sponsored by Friends of St. Mary's, 300 Haverhill St., Lawrence, walking tour 2 p.m., concert at 3 p.m.; \$5 adults, \$2 students; 685-1111.

The Nutcracker, see Thursday's listing, 2:30 p.m.

New England Conservatory Youth Symphony concert, works of Beethoven, Britten and Elgar, Jordan Hall, 290 Hunting-

ton Ave., Boston, 7:30 p.m.; \$8 adults, \$5 students and seniors; (617) 262-1120, Ext. 350.

Early Baroque Choral Masterpieces and Amahl and the Night Visitors, performed by Music Theatre Workshop and Bradford-Pontucket Choral, Den worth Hall, Bradford College, 321 S. Main St., Bradford, 2 p.m. and 7 p.m.; \$5 adults, \$4 students, children and seniors; 374-0076.

Christmas tour of Great House at Castle Hill, Ipswich, 1-4 p.m.; \$7 adults, \$5 students and seniors; 356-4351.

Holiday open house, Haverhill Historical Society, 240 Water St., Haverhill, 1-4:30 p.m.; free and open to the public; 374-4626.

Christmas Carol, see Friday's listing, 4 p.m.

MONDAY, DEC. 6

Day to help manage stress, sponsored by student senate and Wellness Center of Northern Essex Community College, performance by Jackie Guerra, comedian, atrium at Lawrence campus at 10 a.m., student center at Haverhill campus at noon; 688-4221, 374-3731.

Handel's Messiah, performed by Ensemble Abendmusik, Music Hall, 28 Chestnut St., Portsmouth, N.H.; \$16-\$20 adults, student and senior discounts; (603) 436-2400.

TUESDAY, DEC. 7

Book fair, presented by Shaw-sheen Primary School, Ann's Lane; 8:45 a.m.-8 p.m.; Anita Price 475-5799.

Andover Garden Club monthly meeting, holiday tea and gift ideas for gardeners and arrangers, 7 Locke St., 12:30 p.m. JoAnne Lilly 475-7116.

Holiday theatre night, featuring *Christmas Carol*, benefit for Andover Quota Club, Merrimack Repertory Theatre, 50 E. Merrimack St., Lowell, 7 p.m.; \$30 including reception; Sandra or Denise 475-9669.

Holiday children's program, *Brightest Night* presented by Festival of Light and Song, Castle Hill, Ipswich, 4 p.m.; \$15 children, \$10 additional siblings, parents free; 356-4351.

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 8

Starting Over, seminar on concerns about beginning again, presented by Merrimack Valley Divorce Council, Pike School, Sunset Rock Road, 7:30 p.m.; \$5; 373-7703.

THURSDAY, DEC. 9

Chipmunks holiday show, North Shore Music Theatre, 62 Dunham St., Beverly, 4 and 7 p.m.; \$9.75; 922-8500.

FRIDAY, DEC. 10

Messiah by Handel and Christmas Oratorio, Part I, BWV 248 by J. S. Bach, benefit for Greater Lawrence Habitat for Humanity and Neighbors in Need food pantry, Andover Community Chorus and Chamber Orchestra,

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Andover Artists Guild members opening annual Christmas show, sale

The Andovers Artists Guild's annual Christmas show and sale will be held at Old Town Hall on Main Street this weekend. Opening reception is Friday, Dec. 3, from 7 to 9 p.m.

The public may view art pieces in several media on Saturday, Dec. 4, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. and Sunday, Dec. 5, from noon to 4 p.m. Holiday cards and small gifts, crafts, prints and paintings will be on sale and the public will be asked to vote for its favorite painting. Admission is free.

Bette Moore has been an active long-time member of the guild. She lives on Marilyn Road. ▶



How generations have celebrated: Historical Society plans open house

The Andover Historical Society invites the public to its traditional Holiday Open House on Sunday, Dec. 12, from 2 to 4 p.m. Andover's historical museum in the old Amos Blanchard house and barn will be bursting with new sights and enjoyment.

Special items that will represent how past generations recognized the holiday season will be on display in the five period rooms and two exhibit galleries. Helen Cromie, collections chairwoman, and the society's new curator, Tom Edmonds, will select examples of the clothing, household equipment and toys from its local collection.

Exhibit committee members, under the

leadership of Robin Sung, will create arrangements throughout the museum and the Andover Garden Club, directed by Marilyn Swain, will provide floral designs and centerpieces.

There will be homemade refreshments, and volunteers from an area choral group will sing holiday carols from different countries. New displays will be on view as well as the ongoing exhibitions of "Andover's Ethnic Heritage" and "Beautiful and Beloved: A Selection of Dolls."

Open hours are Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Wednesday evenings until 8:30.

Masons will collect warm coats for the needy at parade Sunday

Andover Masons of St. Matthew's Lodge will collect clean coats for needy adults and children at the Santa Parade, Sunday, Dec. 5, in Elm Square.

Violin and piano recital sponsored by Friends of Memorial Hall Library

Elizabeth Ann Larson, violinist, and Rebecca Plummer, pianist, will be presented in recital by the Friends of Memorial Hall Library Saturday, Dec. 4, at 3 p.m. in the recital room on the third floor of Memorial Hall Library. Music of Bach, Beethoven, Grieg, Prokofiev and Messaien will be performed.

Ms. Larson is doing graduate work and studying violin with Efram Nieman at the Guild Hall School of Music and the Arts in London, England. She was chosen to be a participant in the Queen Elizabeth International Violin Competition in Brussels, Belgium, this past spring. She previously studied at the Banff Centre for the Arts in Banff, Canada, in an independent study program.

Ms. Larson, 22, graduated with a bachelor of music degree in violin performance from Indiana University as a student of Franco Gulli in December 1992. She has studied with James Buswell IV and Marylou Speaker Churchill at the New England Conservatory of Music in Boston.

Ms. Plummer is on the piano faculty at the Longy School of Music and at Phillips Exeter Academy in Exeter, N.H. She is director of educational quartets at the Handel and Haydn Society, personnel manager for the



Elizabeth Ann Larson

Pro Arte Chamber Orchestra, and was a faculty member at Boston University Tanglewood Institute in Lenox.

Ms. Plummer received degrees from Virginia Commonwealth University and Boston University. She received the Gina Bachauer Award in the International Bach Piano Competition in Washington, D.C., and was awarded a fellowship to study at the Tanglewood Music Center, where she worked with pianists Gilbert Kalish and Peter Serkin.

Merrimack Junior Theatre will hold auditions for its latest undertaking, *Fiddler on the Roof*, this evening and tomorrow

The Merrimack Junior Theatre will hold auditions for *Fiddler on the Roof* at the Doherty Middle School auditorium today, Thursday, Dec. 2, and Friday, Dec. 3, from 6:15 to

8:45 p.m.

Students in grade 6 through 10 will be asked to act out a monologue and sing a few bars from "My Country 'Tis of Thee."

This is the Merrimack Junior Theatre's most ambitious undertaking to date, according to board president Corinne Gediman. However, she said, the current talent base can support this

challenging initiative.

The setting for this musical is Anatevka, a small peasant town in Czarist Russia. Tevye, a dairyman, and his wife, Golde, fight to hold

onto their Jewish traditions in the face of pogroms and the liberal ideas of their romantically inclined daughters.

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You are cordially invited to attend our holiday fine art show and sale.

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Christmas Parade is Dec. 5

The 38th annual Andover Firefighters' Santa Parade is scheduled for this Sunday, Dec. 5, after it was postponed because of rain last Sunday.

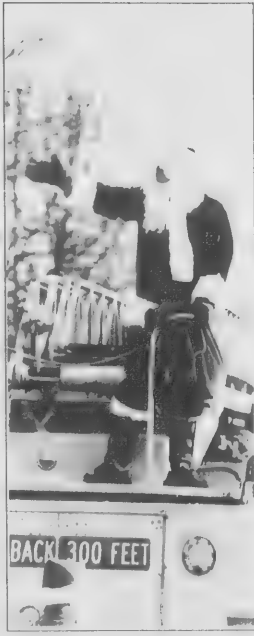
The new rain/snow date, should weather force another postponement, is Sunday, Dec. 12, according to Firefighter Kevin Connors, organizer of the event.

Santa Claus will be the guest of honor. The parade will feature floats, bands, fire trucks, antique fire trucks, antique cars, clowns and more.

"We have more than 25 groups signed up," Firefighter Connors said.

"Last year the weather cooperated fabulously and we had a great turnout," he said.

The parade forms at 12:30 p.m. and begins at 1:30 on Whittier Street and continues onto Elm Street to Main Street to Punchard Avenue and returns to town offices. Anybody who wishes to participate in the parade can call the parade committee at 470-0262.



Holiday season at Phillips begins with Lessons and Carols

The holiday season at Phillips Academy begins Sunday, Dec. 5, with *A Ceremony of Lessons and Carols* at 4:30 p.m. at the Cochran Chapel. The words and music are led by members of the Protestant and Catholic communities, Academy Chorus and Fidelio Society. The program is free.

On Friday, Dec. 10, at 7 p.m., a concert consisting of J.S. Bach (*Christmas Oratorio, Part I, BWV 248*) and G.F. Handel

(excerpts from *The Messiah*) performed by the Andover Community Chorus and Chamber Orchestra, with William Thomas, director.

The concert benefits the Greater Lawrence Habitat for Humanity and the Neighbors in Need food pantry.

Admission is \$5 for adults, and senior citizens and students need only a canned or non-perishable food donation.

AMC has two hikes

The Andover Appalachian Mountain Club will offer hikes in Andover and Boxford Sunday, Dec. 5, that are free to members and open to the public.

Mike Goriensky of North Andover will lead a three-mile hike through the Boxford Wildlife Sanctuary.

Meet at 1:30 p.m. at the gate with the posted trail map on Middleton Road, two miles south of the junction with Main Street.

The Andover hike will be sponsored

jointly with AVIS and the Andover Historical Society and begin a year-long celebration of the 100th birthday of AVIS.

The three-mile hike will feature

Purdon and Indian Ridge reservations, both of which belong to AVIS.

Meet leader Bud Lewis at 1:30 p.m. at Roger's Dell, at the junction of School Street and Lupine Road, near the old Andover train depot.



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REGISTRATION NIGHT JANUARY 19 - 7 pm

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Cochran Chapel, Phillips Academy, 7 p.m.: \$5 adults, seniors and students bring canned or non-perishable food donations; 749-4263.

Lessons and Carols, performed by St. Augustine interdenominational handbell choir and adult choir, St. Augustine Church, 43 Essex St., 7:30 p.m.; Carolyn 470-0357.

Streetcar Named Desire, see Friday, Dec. 3 listing, 8 p.m.

Singles dance, sponsored by The Single Life of Greater Haverhill, Amvets hall, Primrose Street, Haverhill, 8 p.m.-midnight; \$4 members, \$6 non-members; Georgie 372-3299.

Music to Holiday By, Kyrie and Gloria of *Mass in B minor* by J. S. Bach and music of the Christmas season, performed by Newburyport Choral Society, Belleville Congregational Church, High Street, Newburyport, 8 p.m.; \$12 adults, \$9 students and seniors; 462-0650.

Christmas Carol, see Friday, Dec. 4 listing, 7:30 p.m.

SATURDAY, DEC. 11

Breakfast with Santa, sponsored by Andover Center Association, Old Town Hall, Main Street, 8:30-10:30 a.m., \$3 breakfast, \$5 includes photo with Santa.

Bill Staines in concert, Crossroads Coffeehouse, North Parish Church, corner of Mass. Avenue and Great Pond Road, North Andover, 8 p.m.; \$8; Debb Putnam 474-8925.

Bob Thompson youth concert, Andover Baptist Church, 7 Central St., 7 p.m., Rev. Tom Goldthwaite 475-0166.

Play of St. Nicholas, medieval spectacle by Ensemble for Early Music, Center for the Arts, Durgin Hall, UMass Lowell, corner of Pawtucket and Wilder streets, Lowell, 8 p.m., 7:30 preview; \$13-\$17 adults, \$6.50-\$8.50 students and seniors 934-4444.

Streetcar Named Desire, see Friday, Dec. 3 listing, 8 p.m.

Music to Holiday By, see Friday's listing, 8 p.m.

Christmas Carol, see Friday, Dec. 4 listing, 2 p.m. and 7:30 p.m.

SUNDAY, DEC. 12

Andover Historical Society holiday open house, special exhibit with Andover Garden Club, 97 Main St., 2-4 p.m.; 475-2236.

Ecumenical service of Lessons and Carols, readings by Andover clergy, Christ Church, Central Street, 4 p.m.; Renea Waligora 475-0529.

Baroque Christmas Concert, Bach, Vivaldi and Handel, soloists and Pythagorean Festival Orchestra, Merrimack College church, intersec-

tion of routes 114 and 125, North Andover, 3 p.m.; \$12 adults, \$6 students and seniors; Kathleen Mushow 837-5000, Ext. 4360.

Holiday Magic Spectacular, for families, presented by Landis and Company, Center for the Arts, Durgin Hall, UMass Lowell, corner of Pawtucket and Wilder streets, Lowell, 2 and 4 p.m. \$8.50; 934-4444.

Holiday concert, featuring interdenominational handbell choir of St. Augustine Church, Andover, at Sacred Heart Church, 159 Moore St., Lowell, 2:30 p.m.; Carolyn 470-0357.

Music to Holiday By, see Friday's listing, 2 p.m.

Christmas concert, performed by SilverWood ensemble, Castle Hill, Ipswich, 2:30 p.m.; \$15 adults, \$5 children; 356-4351.

Christmas Carol, see Friday, Dec. 4 listing, 4 p.m.

Holiday concert, vocal, jazz, baroque and chamber music and dance, Pingree School, 537 Highland St., South Hamilton, 5 p.m.; free and open to the public; 468-4415.

ONGOING Museums and Historic Homes

Addison Gallery of American Art, Drawings of Stuart Davis: The Amazing Continuity, through Jan. 2, and **Within Memory: Eleven Photography Projects** through Jan. 9, Tuesdays through Saturdays 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Sundays 1-5 p.m., closed Mondays and national holidays; free and open to the public; Duncan Will 749-4015.

Andover Historical Society, Amos Blanchard House, 97 Main St.; ongoing exhibitions *Andover's Ethnic Heritage: A Census Research Report*, through April 1994 and *Beautiful and Beloved: A Selection of Dolls*, through mid-January 1994, Monday-Friday 9 a.m.-5 p.m., Wednesday until 8:30 p.m.; 475-2236.

Walking tours, sponsored by the Andover Historical Society; visit the following locations: Acade my Hill, Andover Village, Andover Village Industrial District, Ballardvale, School Street, Shawshen Village, West Parish Church and a video tour: *Tour of the Andovers*. Each tour is 1-2 hours; a small fee; 475-2236.

Robert S. Peabody Museum of Archaeology, Voices on Repatriation and Ten Thousand Years in Tewksbury: Archaeological Investigations of the Heath Brook Site, exhibits through Dec. 30, closed Nov. 24-26, Phillips Academy, Tuesday through Friday noon-5 p.m., Saturday 10 a.m.-5 p.m.; free and open to the public; 749-4490.

Factory Labor: Shaping Work in America, Museum of American Textile History, 800 Mass. Ave., North Andover; Tuesday through Friday 9 a.m.-5 p.m., first Saturday of the month 1-5 p.m.; tours Tuesday through Friday 10:30 a.m., 1 and 3 p.m.; first Saturday of the month 1:30 and 3 p.m.; Linda Carpenter 686-0191.

Stevens-Coolidge Place, 137 Andover St., North

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Andover; grounds open 8 a.m. to sunset, free; 682-3580.

Parson Barnard House and Johnson Cottage open, 179 Osgood St., North Andover; Tuesday and Thursday, 2-4 p.m.; second and third Sundays 2-4 p.m. (Johnson Cottage closed); Parson Barnard and Johnson Cottage \$3.50, seniors and children \$2 (Parson Barnard House only, \$2; seniors and children \$1), free for North Andover Historical Society members; Carol Machado 686-4035.

Lawrence Heritage State Park, exhibits and guided tours of restored 1840 boarding house; 1 Jackson St., Lawrence; daily 9 a.m.-4:30 p.m., Thursday 9 a.m.-8 p.m.; free; 794-1655.

Winter/spring programs at the Lowell National Historic Park:

Lowell: The Industrial Revelation, multi-image slide show, Visitor Center at Market Mills, 246 Market St., 8:30 a.m.-5 p.m.;

Mill experience tour, canals and turbines, Visitor Center, Monday-Friday 2 p.m., Saturday and Sunday 1:30 p.m., free;

Mill girls and immigrants tour, Visitor Center, Saturday and Sunday 11 a.m., free;

Turn of the century trolley, daily, free;

Boott Cotton Mills Museum, weave room and interactive exhibits, 400 Foot of John St., weekdays 9:30 a.m.-4 p.m., weekends 10 a.m.-5 p.m., \$3 adults, youths 6-16 \$1, senior discount;

Songs and Yarns Spun for Kids, by Alex Demas, Boott Mills Events Center, Tuesday and Thursday through Dec. 31, 3 p.m., free;

Tunes and Tales, by Alex Demas, Boott Mills Events Center, Monday, Wednesday, Friday, through Dec. 31, 2 p.m., free;

For information on all these programs 459-1000.

Art Exhibits

Art and book collections by eight Andover artists, including historical

letters and calligraphy, Andover Books and Prints, 68 Park St., through Dec. 31, free and open to the public; David Rodger 475-1645.

Andovers Artists Guild exhibits, Louise Anderson watercolors, Sutton Hill Nursing Home, North Andover, through Dec.; Jacob Joseph Freedman oils and pastels, Shawmut Bank, Shawshen Plaza, through Dec.;

Vivian Bliss floral and landscape watercolors and Jim Cassidy, oils fall and winter landscapes, Bishop's Restaurant, Lawrence; 688-0633 or 470-1341.

Celebration of the Season, 25 contemporary quilts including memory, landscape and celebration quilts by New England artists, New England Quilt Museum, 18 Shattuck St., Lowell, through Sunday, Jan. 2, 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, noon-4 p.m. Sunday; \$3 adults, discounts for seniors and students, free for members; 452-4207.

Eleanor Day West, recent works on paper, Merrimack College, McQuade Library gallery, through Dec. 3, Monday-Saturday 9 a.m.-5 p.m., Sunday 1-5 p.m.; free and open to the public; Casey Coburn 837-5190.

Who's in Charge: Workers and Managers in the United States, Smithsonian Institution exhibit, through Dec. 12, Boott Gallery, 400 Foot of John St., Lowell, 10 a.m.-4 p.m. daily; 970-5000.

Holiday Traditions, Ocmulgee Pottery and Gallery, 317 High St., Ipswich, through Dec. 31, daily 9 a.m.-5 p.m., Sunday noon-5 p.m.; 356-0636.

At the Beach, A Foreigner in Yokohama 1882, and John P. Marquand - Celebrating 100 Years art exhibits, Custom House, 25 Water St., Newburyport, open through

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Dec. 23; call for hours and prices, Jennifer Guyott 462-8681.

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Christmas Carol, by Charles Dickens, North Shore Music Theatre, 62 Dunham Road, Beverly, through Dec. 23, call for times and prices 922-

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Wealthiest Man in Town, Amesbury Playhouse Dinner Theatre, 194 Main St., Amesbury, through Dec. 19 Thursdays-Saturdays dinner 7 p.m. and show 8:30 p.m., Sundays 5 p.m. dinner and show 6:30; call for prices and reservations 388-9444 or 388-9059.

Family karaoke, Giordano's Starlite Theatre, Route 97, Georgetown, every Thursday night, 6-9 p.m., \$5 includes four-course meal and soda, all ages admitted; 352-7300.

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Rehearsals

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by Allen Coombs, rehearsing a variety of classical pieces; Christ Church, 25 Central St.; Mondays, 7:20 p.m.; 475-4489.

Bradford-Pentucket Chorale, a mixed-voice college and community chorus, Bradford College, 320 South Main St., Bradford; 372-7161, Ext. 314.

Merrimack Valley Townsman barbershop singers, Trinitarian Church, 72 Elm St.; North Andover; Tuesday; 8 p.m.; 682-8641.

Auditions

Fiddler on the Roof, Merrimack Junior Theatre, Doherty Middle School auditorium, Thursday, Dec. 2, and Friday,

Dec. 3, 6:15-8:45 p.m.; boys and girls in grades 6 through 10; act out a brief monologue, sing a few bars from *America* and bring a non-returnable photo; Corinne Gediman 475-3422.

Pregnant Pause, by George Feydeau, Giordano's Starlite Theatre, Route 97, Georgetown, Sunday, Dec. 5, 7 p.m., two men and four women, readings from the script, performances Feb. 3-27, 1994; no pay, some benefits; 352-7300.

Rainmaker, by N. Richard Nash, Amesbury Playhouse Dinner Theatre, Monday, Dec. 13, 7-9 p.m., prepared reading, current 3-by-5 photo and

resume; 388-9444, 388-9059.

Cox and a Box and **Trial by Jury**, one-act English operettas by Sir Arthur Sullivan, Music Theatre Workshop at Bradford College, room 326, Denworth Hall, Bradford College, Tuesday, Dec. 7 at 4:50 p.m., Thursday, Dec. 9 at 4:50 p.m., Monday, Dec. 13 at 7:30 p.m.; performances May 13-14; 372-7161.

Meetings

Greater Lawrence Camera Club, Wednesdays, Trinitarian Congregational Church, 72 Elm St., North Andover; 7:30 p.m.; Faith Morgilda 687-2377, Richard Morton 664-3140.

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SPORTS



Photo by Neil Fater

A group of Golden Warriors surround the ball after a punt during the Thanksgiving Day game against Central Catholic.

Central Catholic defeats Andover in Thanksgiving Day game, 28-6

By Rick Harrison

Expectations are always high with the Andover varsity football team, but there were early warnings that 1993 might be one of those dreaded character-building years.

Every good program has one occasional-ly and the Golden Warrior gridders were overdue.

AHS had gone 31-9 the previous four seasons and 56-23-1 with only one losing record since 1984.

Two strikes were fired past the team before the first game was played, as a promising veteran running back was sidelined for medical reasons and a potential standout quarterback transferred to an out-of-state private school.

The Warriors were also painfully young this fall, with one returning starter on each side of the ball and only eight seniors on the entire roster.

In addition, the unbalanced Merrimack Valley Conference featured three of the top eight teams in the Eastern Mass. polls and two (Chelmsford, Billerica) that were ranked nationally by *USA Today*.

Having one week less of pre-season practice time also hurt the less experienced teams, like Andover.

Injuries, which are inevitable, came in bunches as the Warriors were hit with more than their share.

At one point in the season all three captains (Toby Guzowski, Paul Allard, Phil Smith) were out of the lineup simultaneously, while other key players unavailable for periods of time included starting quarterback Jeff Brammer and running back Dave

Jorgenson.

Factor in all those negatives and a final record of 2-7-1 is easily understood, the last loss administered by Central Catholic 28-6 last Thursday in the traditional Thanksgiving morning clash before 4,500 fans at Veterans Memorial Stadium in Lawrence.

Andover, which had to finish the season with consecutive games against co-champions Chelmsford, Billerica and Central, took itself out of this game with five turnovers (four fumbles, one pass interception).

Central scored single touchdowns in each of the four periods, held Andover to 16 yards net offense and one first down in the first half, and continued its recent mastery of the Golden Warriors.

This is the third straight Red Raiders' victory in the annual Turkey Day classic, Central's sixth in seven years, and the 22-point difference was the largest CHS victory margin in more than two decades.

AHS bright spots

There were individual bright spots for Andover, including an impressive 27-yard touchdown run by Captain Toby Guzowski in the third quarter and strong defensive performances by Guzowski, sophomore end Dana McCann (seven tackles), Captain Paul Allard (interception), junior linebacker Pete Daniels (fumble recovery), junior tackle Steve Muench, junior noseguard Mike Dalton and junior cornerback Brian Marshall.

All but two starters from defensive coordinator Joe Iarrobino's crew are back next fall.

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Basketball game benefits Toys for Tots

Employees of the IRS in Andover and AT&T in North Andover will compete in a basketball game Sunday, Dec. 5, at 2 p.m. to benefit Toys for Tots.

Merrimack College has donated the use of its basketball court

in the Volpe Complex for the 2 p.m. game.

Santa Claus will make a special appearance. Admission is a \$5 donation or a new, unwrapped toy for the Toys for Tots program. The public is invited.

Soccer tryouts rescheduled for this Saturday, Dec. 4

Due to Sunday's heavy rain storms, the Northeast Soccer Club's tryout for high-school-age boys interested in playing soccer in Italy, England and Wales has been rescheduled for Saturday, Dec. 4. Registration will begin at

noon at Bentley College in Waltham. Tours will be conducted during February and April school vacations and during August. For more information, call the Northeast Soccer Club at (603) 434-1090.

Tennis winners omitted

The names of the winners of the men's doubles tournament of the Andover Tennis Club were omitted from a story in last

week's sports section.

Ken Rogers and Bob Sedgwick won the tournament.

Winning swimmers listed

Haverhill YMCA swim team members, some of whom are from Andover, won five of the 10 all-around high-point trophies at the Merrimack Valley Pirates Team Specialty Meet last weekend. Eighteen teams from four states participated in the meet. Haverhill's top overall swimmers were:

8 and under boys: Brian Fiske, first.

9/10 boys: Carlton Cronin, first.

Senior boys: David Green, first.

13/14 girls: Anna Christiansen, first; Angela Caprigno, second.

Senior girls: Jessica Lague, first.

11/12 girls: Melissa Lague, second.

11/12 boys: Ed Bryan, third.

Men's basketball league starts season

The 1993-'94 season of the Department of Community Services Men's Basketball League began at West Middle School last week. Justin's beat the Supersco Blazers 68-35. Mike

Vazza had 12 points. Rookie point guard Bill Burt contributed 11, including two from downtown, while Bob Dickson and Jim O'Toole chipped in 10 each.

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Two receive ski team scholarships

Amy Strube and Glen Aeder have been awarded ski team scholarships.

Amy is a freshman at Stonehill College in North Easton, where she plans to major in communications. The four-year member of the Andover High ski team was a "Big Sister" with the Big Brother and Big Sisters Association of Greater Lawrence. Amy is the daughter of Carl and Barbara Strobe and has a sister, Lindsay, an eighth-grader at West Middle School.

Glen is a freshman at Lafayette College in Easton,



Amy Strube Glenn Aeder Pa., where he is studying chemical engineering. He was also a four-year member of the ski team and received the "most improved skier" award in his senior year. Glen is the son of Greg and Kathy Aeder.

Central Catholic defeats Andover on Thanksgiving Day

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"You can't turn the ball over the way we did and expect to win," admitted AHS Head Coach Dick Collins after wrapping up his 34th season at the helm. "The fumbles were the story today. Central was a better team. But we return a lot of starters next year."

The Golden Warriors' varsity will also inherit top performers from the JV and freshman (7-1-1) squads, both of whom had winning seasons.

The kicking game appears set with freshman Brian Tisbert proving this year he can get the job done both place-kicking (three field goals, eight PATs) and punting.

Once again Coach Collins and assistant Joe Cella, who works with the quarterbacks, shuttled four signal-callers in and out on Thanksgiving Day.

Brammer, who graduates in June, did most of the work. But alternating were three underclassmen who will be in the battle for the No. 1 spot next season: Eric Thompson, Daniels and Tisbert.

Central Coach Mike Cassano, whose team won its last nine games after an opening loss to Billerica, was elated to grab a third share of the MVC championship for the second time in five years.

"You don't roll over a Dick Collins' team, ever, and despite the score we had to work hard for this win. Last year we had them by several touchdowns and they came back within seven points (35-28), so this one wasn't safe until the final whistle."

Tough footing

The weather was cold and crisp, the surface of the field slick, and it cut down on both team's maneuverability.

"It was like a grease pit," offered Coach Cassano.

"Like being on an ice rink without skates," added Red Raiders' junior quarterback Matt Cassano, who still managed to pitch his 12th and 13th TD passes of the season and finish with 128 aerial yards while completing 6-of-11



Photo by Neil Faler

Andover's Toby Guzowski

tosses.

Central scored on its first possession, after forcing Andover to punt, as the home team drove 66 yards in 11 plays.

Junior fullback Mike Shannon and Lowell's Joe Bue did most of the running, while Cassano completed two passes including a 31-yard bomb to junior wide receiver Nick Krippendorf on a key third-and-16 play.

Krippendorf, who also kicked four extra points and attempted an unsuccessful 29 yard field goal, was the top receiver with four catches for 113 yards and the final TD.

Shannon notched the first score on a seven yard run off left tackle, Krippendorf toed the point, and Central led 7-0 with 1:48 left in the first quarter.

Andover, which managed just one first down in the opening half, fumbled on its second series one play after Dave Jorgenson broke clear but slipped on the slick turf.

The Red Raiders, aided by a personal

foul penalty against Andover, took over at the AHS 13 but were stopped cold by the Warriors' front four and a timely pass deflection by Pete Daniels.

Krippendorf then tried his 29 yard field goal which was short and wide to the right.

Fumble hurts

Two plays later, early in the second quarter, a wild Andover pitchout was recovered by Central's Todd Kobelski at the Warriors' 22.

This time CCHS did not squander the opportunity, Kobelski carrying twice for 16 yards and Cassano hitting Mike Shannon with a six-yard TD pass.

Krippendorf's PAT upped the lead to 14-0 at 2:18 of the period.

The locals halted two other first-half Central thrusts, Daniels recovering a fumble at the Andover 25 and Paul Allard intercepting a Cassano toss at the goal line on the next-to-last play of the period.

A 28-yard return of the second-half kickoff by Joe Bue helped set up a nine-play, 58 yard march for the Red Raiders' third touchdown.

Bue and Shannon alternated carries with Bue ripping off consecutive 13, 11, 11 and 11 yards gains around left end before scoring on a one-yard plunge.

The Andover offense continued to sputter and struggle until late in the third stanza, when the Warriors moved 47 yards in just three plays for their lone TD.

QB Jeff Brammer fired a 13-yard pass to Allard, Jorgenson took a pitchout left for seven yards, and Toby Guzowski sliced through the center of the line and cut back to the right for a 27 yard touchdown run.

The TD enabled Guzowski to grab a share on the team scoring title with Jorgenson and Dana McCann, each of whom notched 18 points.

The conversion kick was thwarted when the center snap was mishandled.

Andover had an early fourth-quarter bid halted by a Krippendorf pass interception, and six plays later Cassano lofted a perfect 43-yard touchdown bomb to Krippendorf who burst from a

group of defenders and caught the ball in stride at the 10.

The Warriors' final two possessions ended on a fumble recovery by Central's Joe Delisle, and a succession of incomplete passes near midfield.

Statistics

Central Catholic finished with edges in first downs (14-7), yards rushing (170-94), yards passing (128-29), total yardage from scrimmage (298-123) and scrimmage plays (61-44).

Dave Jorgenson led Andover rushers with 53 yards on nine carries, while Toby Guzowski added 33 yards on four lugs.

Paul Allard caught two passes while Guzowski, Jorgenson and Dana McCann had one reception each.

Jeff Brammer finished the game 5-for-11 passing and he also punted four times for a fine 31.5 yard average.

ANDOVER SCORING (10 games) Final

	TD	PA	Pts.
Toby Guzowski	3	0	18
Dave Jorgenson	3	0	18
Dana McCann	3	0	18
x-Brian Tisbert	0	8	17
Jeff Brammer	1	0	6
Brian Marshall	1	0	6
x-kicked three field goals			

TD Passes: Jeff Brammer 2.

TD Receptions: Dave Jorgenson 1, Brian Marshall 1.

GAME SCORES

Andover 17, Lawrence 7
Lowell 21, Andover 7
Tewksbury 14, Andover 0
Methuen 28, Andover 0
Haverhill 26, Andover 20
Andover 14, Dracut 14 (tie)
Andover 13, Wilmington 6
Chelmsford 20, Andover 6
Billerica 21, Andover 0
Central Catholic 28, Andover 6

Final Record: 2-7-1.

Points For: 83.

Points Against: 185.

DCS Men's Basketball League starts season

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Ted Menounos was high scorer for the Blazers with 11 points.

Stan Flumara led his team with 13 points, but it wasn't enough as the Pisco's Pacers fell to Andover Companies 41-33. Bob Burns paced the winners with 14 points. The Andover Companies broke the game open with a 17-6 run in the second half.

Byrne, McKinney and Associates beat Lafond Insurance 62-37. Jay Bramanti scored 19 points while teammates Tom Ackerman and Bill Sahagian contributed 12 and 11 points, respectively.

Lafond Insurance trailed by 23 points at the half, but finally got some scoring from Jim Lafond (seven points) and Jim Houston, Tom Baker and Jeff Ritchie (six points each).

Three selected to play on All-Conference teams

Toby Guzowski has been selected a first-team Merrimack Valley Football Conference All-Conference linebacker.

Guzowski, a 6'2", 200-pound senior who doubles as an offensive running back, was the only Andover High player chosen for the first team.

"Toby is just a tremendous football player who is tenacious, aggressive and has outstanding pursuit," AHS Head Coach Dick Collins has commented in the past.

"You never take Toby for granted, but you're never surprised by his performance because he never has a bad game," said defensive coordinator Joe Iarrobino earlier this season.

The rugged captain continued his excellent play throughout the sea-



Toby Guzowski



Mike Dalton



Paul Allard

son despite nagging shoulder and back problems.

Offensively he scored three touchdowns and was Andover's top pass receiver.

The Golden Warriors placed two other standout players on the MVC All-Conference second team, junior

Mike Dalton named at offensive guard and senior captain Paul Allard at defensive back.

Allard might have been a first-team candidate had he stayed healthy all season, but injuries kept him sidelined for all or portions of three games.

Joe Marinaro is first underclassman at UMichigan to win Hugh H. Rader Jr. Memorial Award

Joe Marinaro of Andover, a hulking 6-3, 290-pound sophomore starting guard in the offensive line at traditional Big Ten football powerhouse University of Michigan, is the first underclassman to win the school's Hugh H. Rader Jr. Memorial Award.

The 12-year-old award is presented annually to the trenchman voted the Wolverines' best for the season.

The 11 previous winners were all seniors, which means Marinaro will have a chance to become the first two-time Rader winner over the next two years.

Joe, who followed older brothers Tony (Dayton) and Mike (Boston College) into the big-time college football ranks, was a standout All-Conference and All-Scholastic two-way lineman for Coach Dick Collins' Golden Warrior teams for three years (1988-90).

Michigan, expected to contend for the national championship this fall, did not have a typical Wolverines' season. It lost a close decision to Notre Dame (27-23) early in the year and finished the regular season 7-4 overall.

There was redemption in a stunning 28-0 romp over previously-undefeated Big Ten leader Ohio State on Nov. 20, a victory that helped propel Marinaro and his teammates into the Hall of Fame Bowl in Tampa against North Carolina State on New Year's Day.

AHS in top 50 at Bay State Games for participation

The Massachusetts Amateur Sports Foundation has notified Andover High athletic officials that the school was one of the state's top 50 in terms of participants at the 1993 Bay State Summer Games.

AHS had 30 competitors in a field that included 359 high schools and close to 10,000 athletes.

The top medal winner from Andover was swimmer Diana Liberty, who corralled three golds and one silver.

Other golds went to swimmer Chris Blongiewicz and track and field participant Matt Ely, swimmer Adam Moskal captured a silver, and synchronized swimmers Jennifer Ghiloni and Sheila Kyte were bronze medalists.

Rebecca Goldenberg was a dual competitor in both volleyball and track.

Other AHS student-athletes who competed in the Bay State Games, and their sports, were:

Ice Hockey - Peter Afarian, Chris Cullen, Jason Veilleux.

Basketball - Rachel Buonopane, Eric Danis, Matt Gibson, Kirk Stockwood.

Volleyball - Stephanie Casey, Sean Croteau, Tim Foley, Carrie Green, J.P. Guerard, Leah Mason, Glen Wilson.

Track & Field - Phil Smith, Eleanor Smith, Brian Twomey.

Soccer - Beth Lee, Meghan Lynch, Lyle Morgan, Quang Nguyen, Dave Poulo.

Baseball - Matt W.

Practice for AHS winter squads is underway

Practice for all 10 Andover High 1993-94 winter sports teams began this week, with regular season competition for several of the squads scheduled to start in about two weeks. AHS will compete in boys'

and girls' basketball, boys' and girls' track, boys' and girls' gymnastics, boys' and girls' skiing, ice hockey and boys' swimming.

All head coaches remain the same and they are Dave Fazio (boys' hoop),

George Sullivan (girls' hoop), Art Iworsley (track), Steve Sirois (boys' gym), Julie Curtis (girls' gym), Dick Stevens and George Walsh (skiing), Bill Cullen (ice hockey) and Rick Battistini (boys' swim).

Boys gymnastics makes strong comeback at AHS

By Rick Harrison

One winter sport that is making a strong comeback at Andover High is boys gymnastics.

The Golden Warriors are coming off their most successful season in many years, having posted an 8-4-0 record in dual- and tri-meet action during the 1992-93 season.

Included was an impressive victory over Lincoln-Sudbury in the final regular season competition, a meet which also produced the top team score of the season (105.9).

Andover went on to finish second in the annual North Shore League Championship Meet, and was primed to do some damage in the State Meet before a snowstorm caused some transportation problems and kept

the locals from competing.

Coach Steve Sirois had one of the largest squads in the state last year, with 23 gymnasts, and he hopes to expand that number this winter.

"We have almost everyone returning, including 10 seniors, and we're anticipating a great season," said Coach Sirois.

"We're always looking for new talent. I urge any kids who are interested to give it a try. Don't be afraid. You don't need any prior experience. We have kids come to us every year that don't even realize how good they can be.

"The older gymnasts are always ready to help the newer kids. It's a terrific sport and we want it to continue growing," said Coach Sirois, a

former high school and college standout gymnast now in his 14th year as AHS head coach.

"Coaching Andover High gymnastics is a top priority in my life and something I've always enjoyed."

The Golden Warriors graduated only two seniors last year, and among the top returnees this winter will be Nick Zammuto, Scott Gray, Jeff Arsenault, Joe Shea, Rich Green, Justin Pierce and all-around standout Bob Ellis.

Any veteran or newcomer could be the next Jason Fox, a recent AHS graduate who was one of the state's top gymnasts and earned a full scholarship to the University of Massachusetts-Amherst.

Andover's Matt Marvin played football this fall

By Rick Harrison

Andover resident Matt Marvin, a graduate of St. John's Prep in Danvers, recently capped an excellent football season for New England Prep School Division 1 champion Choate-Rosemary Hall of Wallingford, Conn.

Marvin, a post-graduate at Choate who played football, basketball and baseball at St. John's and helped the Andover Post 8 Legion baseball team to the State Tournament last summer as a pitcher, shared the quarterback duties all season with Colin O'Hagan of Long Island.

Under a somewhat unusual arrangement, Marvin would direct Choate in the second and fourth periods and O'Hagan in the first and third quarters.

That gave O'Hagan the importance of being a starter and Marvin the responsibility of being on the

field when the game was on the line.

The St. John's Prep honors student saved his most dramatic performance for last, guiding Choate to the game-winning touchdown in a comeback behind 24-21 victory over Connecticut rival Avon Old Farms in the Division 1 playoff final.

Marvin performed a letter-perfect two-minute drill on the decisive drive, as Choate marched for the title-clinching points with 1:40 to play.

While at SJP Marvin performed a similar "miracle" his junior year, producing some late-game heroics in the Eagles' 22-20 upset of traditional Massachusetts powerhouse Brockton High.

Choate finished the season 8-1 on the football field, the only loss to Lawrenceville, N.J. which used the old single-wing formation on offense.

Marvin's roommate at Choate, a

tight end and outside linebacker, is the grandson of former Notre Dame University head football coach Terry Brennan who succeeded Frank Leahy and led the Fighting Irish briefly in the mid-1950's.

Marvin also intends to play basketball and baseball at Choate. The baseball team takes a pre-season trip to Florida and its schedule is liberally sprinkled with college junior varsity opponents.

Matt is considering several Ivy League and Small Ivy schools for college next fall.

His younger sister, Andrea, is a volleyball, basketball and tennis player at Andover High with an opportunity to play three varsity sports as a sophomore.

Matt and Andrea are the son and daughter of Dr. Ronald A. and Patricia Marvin, 17 Mohawk Road.

Andover Church Basketball League launches season

The Andover Church Basketball League officially launched its season last night with four Junior Division (3rd-4th grade) games at the West Middle School.

The league, which has 37 teams and close to 400 youngsters competing in five separate divisions, will continue with opening-round play in four other divisions this weekend.

This year the Senior Boys (7th-8th grade) will play full-court games on Saturdays at the West Middle School gym, while the two Intermediate Divisions (5th-6th grade) and Senior Girls will play on Sundays at Andover High.

Following are the schedules for this week only:

Senior Boys Division

Saturday, Dec. 4
at West Middle School
1 p.m. St. Augustine A vs. St. Augustine C

2 p.m. Free vs. St. Robert's A
3 p.m. St. Augustine B vs. St. Robert's B

Bye: Ballardvale United

Intermediate Girls Division

Sunday, Dec. 5
at Andover High
(all games on Court 3)

12 p.m. St. Augustine B vs. St. Augustine C

1 p.m. St. Robert's C vs. St. Augustine D

2 p.m. St. Augustine A vs. St. Robert's A

Bye: St. Robert's B

Intermediate Boys Division

Sunday, Dec. 5
at Andover High
Court 1

12 p.m. St. Robert's B vs. St. Augustine D

1 p.m. St. Augustine E vs. Ballardvale United

2 p.m. St. Robert's C vs. St. Augustine B

Court 2

12 p.m. Temple Emanuel vs. St. Augustine A

1 p.m. St. Robert's A vs. St. Augustine C

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YMCA swim teams posts win

The Andover/North Andover YMCA swim team posted a win in their first dual meet of the season, beating the Old Colony YMCA 384-316.

In the boys 8 and under action, Eric Chung placed first in the 100-yard individual medley and 50-yard freestyle. Colin Higgins placed first in the 25-yard butterfly and freestyle events. Sam Rulon-Miller was first place in the 25-yard breaststroke and third in the 100-yard I.M. Matt Tritter was first in the 25-yard backstroke and third in the 25-yard butterfly, while Eric Trombly finished second in the 25-yard freestyle and backstroke events.

The 9- and 10-year-old boys Chris Lee placed second in the 50-yard butterfly and third in the 50-yard backstroke, while Patrick Rulon-Miller had second-place finishes in the 100-yard I.M. and 50-yard backstroke events. Sergy Yerozolimsky placed third in the 100-yard freestyle and I.M. events.

The 11- and 12-year-old boys were formidable. Brad Johnson placed first in the 50-yard backstroke and second in the 200-yard I.M. Jim Russo was first in the 50-yard breaststroke and second in the 100-yard freestyle. Nate Vantzeld placed first in the 50-yard butterfly and third in the 100-yard freestyle. Leo Demarco finished second in the 50-yard freestyle, while Corey Zalewski placed third in the 50-yard butterfly.

Sang Lee captured third place in the 13- and 14-year-old 200 yard freestyle.

Andy Wong had second-place finishes in the 15 and older 200-yard freestyle and I.M. events.

The ANA girls won many first places. In the 8 and under age group, Amy Caron placed first in the 25-yard backstroke. Christina Caselle had first-place finishes in the 100-yard I.M. and 50-yard freestyle events. Dana Medaglio was first in the 25-yard breaststroke and second in the 25-yard butterfly. Caitlin Hamer was second in the 25-yard freestyle. Jamie Kapelson placed second in the 25-yard backstroke, while Lauren Harlow was second

Lisa Wong was first in the 13- and 14-year-old 50-yard freestyle and second in the 100-yard butterfly. Kim Boettcher placed second in the 200-yard backstroke.

in the 100-yard I.M. event.

The 9- and 10-year-old girls placed in many events. Melissa Brickley was first in the 100 yard butterfly and third in the 100 yard individual medley. Janice Chu had first-place finishes in the 100 yard I.M. and 50-yard backstroke events. Ellen Donahue was first in the 50- and 100-yard freestyle events. Erica Douvajan placed second in the 50-yard breaststroke, while Lauren Kerivan was third in the 50-yard freestyle.

In the 11- and 12-year-old girls action, Carmen Demarco was first in the 50-yard butterfly and second in the 50-yard freestyle. Lauren Kapelson had a first-place finish in the 50-yard freestyle and a third in the 50-yard breaststroke. Shannon Higgins placed third in the 50-yard backstroke and butterfly events. Alexis Caselle finished third in the 100-yard freestyle and 200-yard I.M. events. Greta Kaminski was second in the 50-yard backstroke. Melissa Osborne finished second and Meghan Twohig third in the 200-yard freestyle.

Lisa Wong was first in the 13- and 14-year-old 50-yard freestyle and second in the 100-yard butterfly. Kim Boettcher placed second in the 200-yard backstroke.

The 15 and older girls had many close races. Caitlin Fitzpatrick placed first in the 50- and 100-yard freestyle events, while Kristin Lawrence finished second in the 100-yard back and breaststroke. Diana Rita placed second in the 100-yard and third in the 200-yard freestyle events. Michelle Vitale won a second-place finish in the 50-yard freestyle and a third in the 100-yard backstroke.

ACBL launches season

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Senior Girls Division

Sunday, Dec. 5
at Andover High
Court 1

3 p.m. St. Robert's A vs. St. Augustine B

Court 3
3 p.m. St. Augustine A vs. St. Robert's B

Junior Division

Wednesday, Dec. 8
at West Middle School
Court 1

6:15 p.m. St. Augustine B vs. St. Augustine D

7:10 p.m. Faith Lutheran vs. Temple Emanuel

Court 2
6:15 p.m. St. Robert's B vs. St. Robert's A

7:10 p.m. South vs. St. Augustine A

Bye: St. Augustine C

FEASTER FIVE



Photos by Don Staruk

They're off! A very large group of kids began their Thanksgiving morning by running a 1k fun run at the Feaster Five Road Race.



Justin Levasseur, 13, and his twin brother Kurt finished first and second, respectively, in the Feaster Five 1k race. The brothers are from Pelham, N.H.



At left, Jack Norton, manager of Athlete's Corner in Andover, warms up before the start of the Feaster Five.

More than 4,000 run Feaster Five in bitter cold

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with the whole event, according to organizers.

"The president of Marshall's was very ecstatic and would like to do the race again," Mr. Pennington said.

In addition to all the runners receiving race sweatshirts and apple pies, 500 apple pies and \$20,000 from the proceeds of the race were donated to Lazarus House.

"The goal was \$20,000 and I think that goal was attained. We're waiting for the final tallies," Mr. Pennington said.

Winners

All the kids who participated in the fun run received medals and prizes.

5k race

Larry Reed, of Chester, Vt., won the 5k race in a time of 16:17, followed by Nick Niles of Chestnut Hill (16:23) and Joao Silva, of Somerville (16:28).

Julie Pendelton, of Salem, N.H., won the women's race in 20:02, followed by Lynn Bokanske of Kingston, N.H., (20:24) and Tammie Brooks of Tewksbury (20:42).

The first Andover finishers in the 5k race were Craig Burton, 177 N. Main St., (19:41), and Susan C. Schwarz, 66 Poor St., (24:26).

Other age group winners were:

Men -19 and under: Nick Niles (16:23); Christopher Bokanske (18:36); Nate Burns (19:16).

20-29: Joao Silva (16:28); Doug Silverira (17:41); Jack Lohan (18:34).

30-39: Larry Reed (16:17); Cliff Staples (16:52); Mark Dudley (17:04).

40-49: Jack Norton (17:47); Gary Marcoux (18:25); Dave Goldsmith (18:45).

50-59: Joe Vail (21:49); Gus Longo (22:08); Tom Whittman (23:11).

60-69: Bob Driscoll (24:55); Bill Murphy (28:55); Bill Gibbons (32:46).

70+: Ray Bolger (26:24); Vernon Collins (27:28); Leo Dyle (42:40).

Women -19 and under: Same as top three finishers overall.

20-29: Ellen Silverira (21:01); Susan Cunningham (22:38); Tamara Dawson (23:06).

30-39: Leslie Rideout (20:51); Ms. Shear (23:27); Susan Schwarz, Andover, (24:26).

40-49: Heidi McGaffigan (21:38); Traudi Thomason (24:53); Carolyn Adams (27:28).

50-59: Toy Norton (31:42); Joan Tutela (36:31); Mary Sayers (38:56).

60-69: Charlotte Pennington (race directors Mother) (48:19); Debra Lane (49:30); Geraldine Blake (50:05).

70+: Priscilla Caldwell (50:39); Bernice Steinmetz (57:47).

Five mile race

Scott Bagley of Grafton won the five mile race in 24:05, just in front of Scott Coady of Cambridge (24:07) and Eric Morse of Noretown, Vt., (24:08).

"It was a good race. The top five people were within 10 seconds," Mr. Pennington said.

The top three women were Gina Sperry, of Hampton, N.H., (28:11), Colleen Brown of Bellingham (28:30) and Lynda Schulze of Medford (28:36).

Top Andover finishers were Max Dawson, Belle Isle Way (28:18), and Terri Anne McGettrick, 45 School St. (29:42).

Other finishers were:

Men -19 and under: Jonathan Russell (25:20); Andy Bengtson (26:31); Max Dawson (28:18).

20-29: Scott Cody (24:07); Eric Morse (24:08); Rachid Thabi (24:14).

30-39: Scott Bagley (24:07); Craig Fram (24:21); James Goodberlet (24:57).

40-49: Bill Rodgers (25:51); Vladimir Krivoy (26:01); Larry Olsen (26:35).

50-59: Bruce Anderson (28:35); Chuck Keating (28:54); Gabriel Bernal (29:20).

60-69: Eugene Wood (33:30); Lee Chisolm (34:06); Don Ross (34:42).

70+: Harold Luetjen (42:05); Philip Campbell (45:05); John Kane (48:00).

Women -19 and under: Tamara Tierney (32:48); Kendara Hansford (34:45); Kara Beauchesne (35:27).

20-29: Colleen Brown (28:30); Mimi Corcoran (29:10); Terri Anne McGettrick (29:42).

30-39: Gina Sperry (28:11); Joan Benoit



Photo by Don Staruk

These youngsters try to keep warm after running in the kids' race at the Feaster Five Road Race Thanksgiving morning. They are, from left, Peter Brown, Nathan Aldrich and Allison Brown, all of Cross Street. The temperature at race time was approximately 15 degrees F.

Samuelson (28:36); Wiley Fulham (29:38).

40-49: Lynda Schulze (28:36); Diane Nassif (29:02); Cindy Dulude (29:17).

50-59: Wendy Burbank (35:28); Dolly Lemoine (38:22); Jane Levesque (38:39).

60-69: Leona Doherty, of Andover (48:53); Doris Zimmerman (48:57); Betsy Page (49:34).

70+: Louise Rossetti (51:04).

More results

A complete list of race results can be viewed at the Athlete's Corner store on Main Street.



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Nurse humorist to teach value of humor

Nurse humorist Carol O'Flaherty will teach people how to bring more humor into their lives at a Thursday, Dec. 2 presentation at 2 p.m. at Northern Essex Community College's Haverhill Campus.

Ms. O'Flaherty believes in the "healing power" of laughter and she will offer some practical tips on how to reduce stress and lead a happier and healthier life.

The Braintree resident began her career as a comedian early in life. When graduating from high school, she was voted the class clown. She became a nurse and found that her gift for laughter was a definite plus when working with the long-term care patients.

Ms. O'Flaherty's career as a nurse humorist evolved from a workshop on infectious diseases, hardly a funny topic, which she was presenting eight years ago.

Her group was laughing hysterically while the class next door, studying the same subject, was silent.

"I decided to depend on laughter to help me teach. Laughter produces an endorphin surge. It's a natural narcotic, just like the surge runners get," she says.

At first Ms. O'Flaherty focused on using humor to help teach technical sub-

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MORTGAGEE'S OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain Mortgage Deed given by Leslie A. Cooper to Home Savings of America, F.A. dated August 26, 1988 and recorded with the Essex County (Northern District) Registry of Deeds in Book 2795, Page 229 of which mortgage the undersigned is the present holder, for breach of the conditions of said Mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing, the same will be sold at Public Auction at 10:00 a.m. on the 10th day of December A.D. 1993, on the mortgaged premises located at 16 Balmoral Street, Unit 219 in the Balmoral Condominium, Andover, Essex County, Massachusetts, all and singular the premises described in said Mortgage.

TO WIT:

Condominium Unit No. 219 in the Condominium known as Balmoral Condominium, situated at 16 Balmoral Street, Andover, Massachusetts, created by a Master Deed dated July 17, 1981, recorded with the Essex North Registry of Deeds in Book 1519, Page 13, as amended.

The unit is more particularly described (1) in the Master Deed, (2) such site and floor plans as have been recorded or filed therewith, (3) in the first Unit Deed thereof and (4) copies of portions of such site and floor plans filed therewith. The unit is conveyed together with an undivided .876 percent interest in the common areas and facilities of the Condominium and the same .876% interest in the Organization of Unit Owners known as Balmoral Condominium Trust created by an instrument dated, July 17, 1981, and recorded with the Essex North Registry of Deeds in Book 1519, Page 36 as amended.

Said Unit is also conveyed together with the exclusive right to use Parking Space No. 55 as shown on the Condominium Plan, which exclusive right is appurtenant to said Unit, subject to the provisions set forth in Section 6 of the Master Deed. Being the same premises conveyed to me by deed Craig N. Adler and recorded immediately prior hereto.

Said premises will be sold subject to/or with the benefit of any and all restrictions, easements, improvements, covenants, taxes, assessments, liens or claims in the nature of liens, and existing encumbrances of record created prior to the Mortgage, if any, thereon be. A deposit of Six Thousand dollars in cash, certified check or bank check will be required to be paid by the purchaser at the time and place of sale with the balance of the purchase price to be paid within 30 days thereafter.

Other terms to be announced at the time and place of sale.

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Present holder of said Mortgage

By its Attorneys

Davis, Malm & D'Agostino

By: John G. Sarno

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Dated: November 11, 1993

November 18 & 24, December 2, 1993

MORTGAGEE'S OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By Virtue and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain Mortgage Deed given by John R. Ristuccia and Joan E. Ristuccia to Ford Motor Credit Company dated May 28, 1990, recorded with Essex North District Registry of Deeds, Book 3114, Page 90, of which Mortgage Deed the undersigned corporation is the present holder by assignment from said Ford Motor Credit Company to the undersigned corporation dated as of January 2, 1991, to be recorded with said Registry of Deeds, for breach of the conditions of said Mortgage Deed and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at Public Auction at 11:00 A.M. on Thursday, December 16, 1993 upon the hereinafter-described premises, known as and numbered 4 Brentwood Circle, Andover, Essex County, Massachusetts, all and singularly the premises described in said Mortgage Deed, to wit:

The land in Andover, Massachusetts, being more particularly described as follows: All that certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon situated on Brentwood Circle in the town of Andover, County of North Essex, in the state of Mass.; being described as follows: Lot 11, in Plan recorded in Plan Book 4644, and being more particularly described in deed dated 04-26-77, and recorded 04-26-77, in Book 1306, Page 562, among the land records of North Essex County. Also known as: 4 Brentwood Circle, Andover, Massachusetts, 01810.

For the Mortgagor's title, see deed dated 05-09, 1967, recorded in

Book 1081, Page 258.

Said recording references are to Essex North District Registry of Deeds.

Said premises are sometimes known and numbered as 4 Brentwood Circle, Andover, Massachusetts.

The above-described premises shall be subject to all easements, restrictions, municipal or other public taxes, assessments, liens or claims in the nature of liens, outstanding tax titles, building, zoning and other land use laws and all permits and approvals issued pursuant thereto, including, without limitation, orders of conditions, and existing encumbrances of record created prior to said Mortgage Deed, if there be any. Said premises are to be sold subject to the right of redemption of the United States of America, if any there be.

TERMS OF SALE: The highest bidder shall be required to make a deposit of \$5,000.00 to the holder of said Mortgage Deed, in cash or by certified or bank cashier's check at the time and place of said sale of said premises. The balance of the purchase price is to be paid to said holder in cash, by certified check or bank cashier's check, and thereupon the deed shall be delivered, in twenty-five (25) days from the date of sale at the firm of Uehlein, Nason & Wall, Attorneys for said holder, 220 North Main Street, Natick, Massachusetts. The successful bidder shall be required to sign a Memorandum of Terms of Sale.

Other terms, if any, to be announced at the time and place of sale.

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Nurse humorist
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Nurse humorist to teach value of humor

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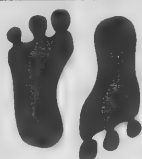
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ucts is extensive, with many new ideas
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Mrs. Amore is not new to the
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Francine graduated from Pike School and
Abbot Academy. From 1955 to 1980,
Mrs. Amore performed annual hearing
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Augustine's School, and she has lectured
in the parochial schools about the dangers
of noise exposure and the resulting dam-
age to the acoustic nerve. In 1960, she
worked with Dr. Sortine at Children's
Hospital, training in the fitting of hearing
aids for children.

Mrs. Amore attended Boston
University and received certificates from
both Emerson College's Hearing Institute
and New England Medical Center's

Hearing Institute. She is board certified
by the National Board for Certification in
Hearing Instrument Sciences. Mrs.
Amore has served on the Board of the
National Hearing Aid Society, as well as
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for the Massachusetts Hearing Aid
Society. She has also served as general
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1 William G. Carey bought **4 Arundel St., Lot 48**, for \$205,000 from Joan J. Duffy. The mortgage is with Assurance Mortgage Corp. of America.

2 One Hundred Twenty Three Tewksbury Street Realty Trust bought **123 Tewksbury St., 3 PCLS**, for \$250,000 from Cobble Mountain Development Corp. The mortgage is with Eastern Bank.

North Andover

1 Janos G. Komaroni bought **1412 Salem St., Lot 7**, for \$177,000 from Federal National Mortgage Association. The mortgage is with Prudential Home Mortgage Co. Inc.

2 David M. Hyder bought **289 Andover St., Lot 3**, for \$167,000 from Elizabeth Potvin. The mortgage is with East West Mortgage Co. Inc.

3 Roger H. Beeley bought **38 Edgelawn Ave., Unit 38**, for \$50,000 from Carol J. Sanford.

4 White Birch Construction Inc. bought **50-52 Beverly St.** for \$38,500 from Patrick J. Wood.

5 Kevin J. Doherty bought **287 Waverly Road, Lot 15**, for \$143,000 from Theodore J. Beloin. The mortgage is with Salem Five Mortgage Corp.

6 James F. Mello bought **19 Holly Ridge Road, Lot 1**, for \$295,000 from Joseph L. Quinn. The mortgage is with Boston Federal Savings Bank.

7 Tara Realty Trust bought **Hickory Hill Road, Lot 23**, for \$50,000 from George R. Barker Jr. The mortgage is with Community Savings Bank.

8 Brenda E. Vigeant bought **148 Main St., Unit B-231**, for \$77,900 from Elm Mill Realty Trust. The mortgage is with BancBoston Mortgage Corp.

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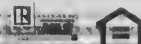


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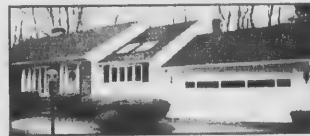
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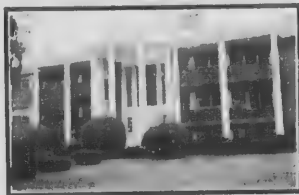
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THINKING OF SELLING? Family seeks special 4 bedroom Andover home with land, pool or both. Close to town preferred but not necessary. \$300-\$400K. Call with details 475-2092.

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ANDOVER

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ANDOVER

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ANDOVER

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HOME WARRANTY

ANDOVER

BEAUTIFULLY CARED FOR 6 room, 3 bedroom Colonial with three season porch. Mature shrubs and flowers surround a nice size lot. \$162,500
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NORTH ANDOVER
43,000 Square foot lot
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ANDOVER OPEN HOUSE Sunday, 2-4pm. **FOR SALE BY OWNER.** 17 Burton Farm Drive, Andover, (off Elm Street). Walk to town from this well maintained, 8 room California ranch set on a 3/4 acre wooded lot. Features 4 bedrooms, 2-1/2 baths, large fireplaced family room. \$249,900. 475-0075.

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Houses for Rent

ANDOVER- 4 bedroom Colonial. 5-1/2 acres, 2 car garage, very private. Furnished or unfurnished. \$2400/mo. Call 685-3196.

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ANDOVER CENTER- Cozy, modern studio apartment on commuter line. Laundry room, parking and cable. \$410/month plus electricity. 683-3409.

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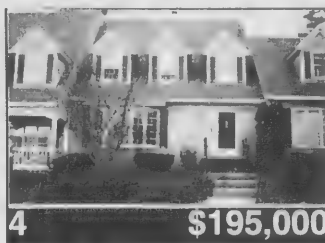
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4 **ANDOVER. JUST LISTED. Open House Sunday 12-2.** 4 year old elegant 6 room Townhouse in mint condition with 2 bedrooms, 2.5 baths & garage. Ceramic tiled open foyer, fireplaced living room, gleaming hardwood floors, whirlpool tub, CA & VAC. Skylights & sunroom. Minutes to downtown & highways, Sanborn School district. **Exclusive**
Dir: Andover St. to Abbot's Pond.

5 **ANDOVER.** Classic Victorian located in Andover Center. Detailed woodwork, hardwood floors, skylighted sunroom, front and rear staircases. 7+ rooms - 3/4 bedrooms - 3 full baths (master is spacious with hardwood floor and jacuzzi tub.) 2 car garage. Inground pool with whirlpool. **Exclusive**

6 **ANDOVER. Open House Sunday 2:30-4:30.** Lovely brick front Georgian Split on cul-de-sac with 4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths and a 2 car garage. Cathedral ceiling in living room, dining room with sliders to deck overlooking level private yard. **Exclusive**
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7 **ANDOVER.** Exceptional custom Cape offering 2,945 SF of living space. 9+ rooms, 4 bedrooms, 2.5 baths, 2 car garage. Skylit open foyer, Florida room, 2 fireplaces, Corian sinks, cedar siding, circular driveway. A must see! **Exclusive**

8 **ANDOVER.** Beautiful wooded setting provides backdrops for this stately Colonial in desirable location. Classic floor plan of 8 spacious rooms plus finished lower level playroom. Extras include central air & vacuum, intercom, security and more! **Exclusive**

9 **ANDOVER.** An exceptional setting for this architect-designed home in one of Andover's most prestigious neighborhoods. This Abbot-designed Steiner-built home features 11 spacious rooms for the growing family. Formal living room with fireplace opens onto picturesque patio, new master suite built in 1990. Finished lower level has family room, bedroom & bath. Would be ideal for in-law/au pair. **Exclusive**



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ANDOVER- 2 plus bedrooms, cathedral ceiling, new kitchen, intown location. \$900/month includes heat. Call 475-1243.

ANDOVER- 3 bedroom apartment, remodeled. Walking distance to town. \$800/mo. Call 474-9373.

ANDOVER- 4 room townhouse. 1-1/2 baths, nice yard to river, hookup washer/dryer, off-street parking. Near train. No pets or utilities. \$655/mo. 475-5710.

ANDOVER- Charming 2 bedroom apartment. Fully appliances kitchen. Convenient to public transportation and shopping. \$750/month includes heat and hot water. 470-0027.

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ANDOVER- Intown location, 3 rooms on second floor of Victorian building. Includes refrigerator, stove, heat and electric. No pets. References required. Immediate occupancy. \$575/month. Call 475-9445.

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DOWNTOWN ANDOVER- 4 room apartment, quiet environment. Ideal for older clientele. Convenient to transportation, shopping, post office, library, churches and senior center. No pets. 475-3981 or 475-0422.

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LAWRENCE- Top of Tower Hill. Three rooms, heated, wall/wall, fireplace, new bath, appliances kitchen, private porch overlooking city. Directly across for firehouse, near variety stores, laundromat, bus line, Catholic Church. Two minutes from Reservoir park. Owner occupied. Ideal for single. Call 683-4230.

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ONE MONTH FREE! Methuen Delmont Estates. Country setting, one bedroom, \$545; two bedroom \$635. Heat, cooking gas, storage, laundry. Call 686-4791.

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NORTH ANDOVER- Professional male seeking male/female to share spacious 4000 sq.ft. house at Great Pond Road address. You will have your own bathroom and large walk-in closet. Non-smokers please. \$500/month includes all utilities and use of washer/dryer. Please call 794-9595.



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PRIVATE WOODED GROUNDS at the end of a cul-de-sac in a fabulous family neighborhood surround this stunning contemporary home. A beautifully designed addition enhances the living space, and offers a striking and spacious center island kitchen, large master with its own bath, walls of glass, 2 fireplaces, and cathedral ceilings. Easy access to highways is another feature of this terrific home

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NEW LISTING!



A RARE FIND is this First Period Colonial, circa 1680, that has been handsomely restored to preserve many original details. The Stanley-Lake House is listed in the National Register of Historic Places. Its 10 room interior offers a country kitchen overlooking a perennial garden. An auxiliary building, that once served as a cobbler shop, plus a magnificent barn, could be used for other purposes. Over the years, this home has retained its integrity of location, design, materials, workmanship, and setting. This is a property of unique interest for the discerning buyer

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NEW LISTING!



OPEN SUNDAY, 12/5, 1-3. Stop by for a tour of this gracious hip roof Colonial, boasting much fine detailing such as French doors, vaulted ceilings, fireplaces in family room and master, marble foyer, and shining hardwood floors. A wooded acre in a super family area completes the picture. Exclusive \$328,900

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ENJOY THE SPECTACULAR setting and superb amenities offered by the distinctive Millpond community. This spacious end unit has lots of glass, built-in bookcases, custom fireplace, loft, and 2 car garage

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AFFORDABILITY AND COMFORT make this a truly appealing family home. Privately set back behind beautiful fenced-in grounds, with a heated Gunite pool and Jacuzzi, it offers 4 bedrooms, and a charming living room with fireplace and bay windows.

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THIS OUTSTANDING FAMILY COLONIAL, sited on over an acre, includes a large kitchen, 4 generously sized bedrooms, and a 3 season porch with wooded views to private grounds and a brook. Walk-out basement offers expansion potential.

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NEW CONSTRUCTION! This exciting new Colonial is just waiting for you to add your finishing touches and call it home. Situated on a wooded site in a prime family neighborhood, it offers a sparkling, well-designed floor plan.

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ANDOVER - Picture perfect inside and out. Charming fireplace living room, exposed beams. Sunny southern exposure. Intown location, prestigious neighborhood. **\$209,900**



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ANDOVER - Johnson Acres! Very unusual, one bedroom Contemporary home. fireplace living room, eat-in kitchen. **\$192,500**



NORTH ANDOVER - Bright and sunny Townhouse on the pond with a southern exposure. Formal dining room with glass sliders to private courtyard. Step down living room and loft on third level. **\$169,900**



ANDOVER - New construction! Still time to put your own finishing touches on this beautiful 9 RM Colonial. Gracious foyer, wonderful open kitchen, family room, hardwood floors, skylit master bath, wooded lot and more. Must see! **\$349,000**



NORTH ANDOVER - Center Entrance Colonial with many features. Center hall, fireplace family room, eat-in kitchen with laundry, formal dining room, master bedroom with walk-in closet. Walk-up attic. **\$199,900**



ANDOVER - Quality constructed Multi-level on beautiful acre plus. New kitchen with ceramic tile floor and sliders to deck. Fireplace living room with built in bookcases. Cozy family room plus laundry and full bath on first floor. **\$209,900**



NORTH ANDOVER - Priced to sell! Why rent when you can own this wonderful two bedroom unit in downtown North Andover. Walk to shops and library. **\$54,900**



ANDOVER - Rustic Cape abutting conservation land. Rural setting, yet half a mile to Boston busline. Large master with bow window, flexible floor plan, generous closets, eat-in kitchen opens to deck. Room for expansion! **\$199,900**



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Wanted to Rent

HAVING TROUBLE SELLING? Professional family looking for large home to rent or rent with option, in the Bancroft/South School district. Will pay up to \$2500/mo. or negotiable. Please call 1-800-788-6860.

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Land for Sale

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ANDOVER - 7 room, 2-1/2 bath split entry in family neighborhood. \$1500/mo. Year lease. Call The Victor Co. Inc. 475-2201.

Office Space for Rent

ANDOVER CENTER - 3 room office suite. Convenient location with off-street parking. Call 686-1111.

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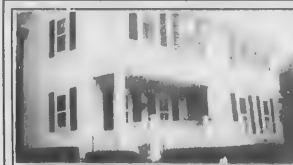
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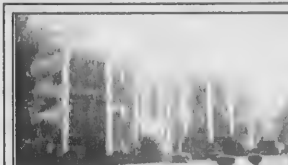
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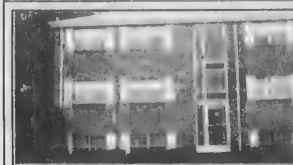
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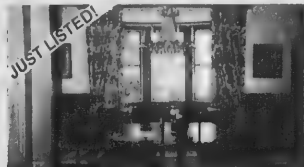
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Andovers to meet here

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sachusetts, celebrates the holidays," said Charles Johnson, local access coordinator for TCI Cablevision of Andover. "They'll probably shoot downtown."

In a unique Christmas swap, the English team will give TCI a program about life in Andover, England. Rather than exchange the more traditional clothes or candy canes, the stations of the sister communities will exchange an understanding of culture and tradition.

"What we're looking to do is exchange programs about culture," said Mr. Johnson. "This is the first time ever," for such a program. "They contacted us, actually. We started a dialogue almost back in August."

Alan Grindley, the producer for Town TV, contacted Mr. Johnson, asking for programs that they might have on Andover, Mass. Though TCI was not able to put together such a program because of its commitment to local operators, Mr. Grindley called back again in October to tell Mr. Johnson that he was planning to come to the states. Town TV had received a grant and would be able to travel to its sister community.

The team will stay at the Andover Inn, and spend from Friday, Dec. 10, until Sunday night, Dec. 12. While here, they will try to see "virtually everything we can in town."

The list will include Phillips Academy, historic neighborhoods, Holt Hill on Ward Reservation and Boston Hill,

Haggetts Pond, the Brickstone tree, and anything else (such as the Addison Gallery) that time permits.

Two of the English TV team are former members of the band, The Troggs, which were most widely recognized for the song, "Wild Thing," which has since been covered by everyone from Jimi Hendrix to comedian Sam Kinison.

"The Troggs themselves were all from Andover, England," said Mr. Johnson. Mr. Grindley, "the producer, was with the Troggs almost until they produced that song." Reginald Presley, who wrote "Wild Thing," is also a member of the group visiting here.

"He's got a special interest in mystical places like Stonehenge," he said. A different and more puzzling type of rock group, Stonehenge is located near Andover, England, and is believed to have been built by druids. Mr. Johnson said that it was in part because of this interest in the mystical that he plans to take the group to Boston Hill and Holt Hill on Ward Reservation.

"There's a large compass made out of a granite slab and you can see Boston," he said. "It's kind of a mystical place, if you will."

Overall, though, the crew is here to see how the people of the town that was named after their own more than three centuries ago, celebrates this time of year. "They're here to see how beautiful Andover, Massachusetts, is in the holidays - and in general," said Mr. Johnson.



Holding the plaque that says he is postmaster in Andover, George Selfridge, center, poses for a photo along with Tom Gosler, postal operation manager, at left; and Phil Dennis, manager of customer services.

George Selfridge becomes Andover's postmaster

George Selfridge was sworn in as the new postmaster of Andover Friday, Nov. 12.

He has been acting postmaster for the past 10 months.

His 33-year career with the United States Postal Service includes being

postmaster of Burlington for five years and Newburyport for six years.

Mr. Selfridge lives in Salem, N.H., with his wife, Maura, to whom he has been married for 27 years.

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A little caution can foil real holiday grinch

The holidays are an exciting, hectic time – and the busiest season for criminals. They know that harried, distracted people are more vulnerable to crime, and generous holiday givers are likely to have more cash or gifts around.

To combat holiday hoodlums, the National Crime Prevention Council, whose symbol is McGruff the Crime Dog, offers these tips:

- Don't let preoccupation with holiday preparations and tasks dull your senses. Stay alert to your surroundings and people nearby.
- Always lock your car and close the windows, even if you're only gone a few minutes. Lock packages in the trunk where they're out of sight.
- Avoid carrying large amounts of cash. Use checks or credit cards, but use your cards safely. Keep an eye on the card during transactions and tear up receipt carbons the store otherwise might discard carelessly in the holiday rush.
- Teach your children to go to a store clerk if they become lost or separated from you while shopping in a mall or large store. Never allow children to go into a parking lot alone.
- Carry a purse or package under your arm and keep wallets in an inside pocket. Try to avoid carrying too many or unwieldy packages, which make you a more vulnerable

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target for hit and run thieves.

- At home, avoid displaying gifts where they can be seen from a window or doorway.
 - Be extra cautious about locking doors and windows.
 - Take extra precautions if you go away for the holidays. Ask family members or a trusted neighbor to watch your home and pick up mail and newspapers. Use an automatic timer to turn on lights.
 - Building caring neighborhoods is one of the most effective deterrents of crime. Join your neighbors in crime prevention as well as sharing the holiday season. Organize caroling or special events, particularly for the elderly, through your Neighborhood Watch group.
- Additional crime prevention tips are available free from NCPC, whose McGruff education campaign is largely funded by the U.S. Department of Justice and is conducted in cooperation with the Advertising Council.
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- Wash down wood paneling, washable painted walls and wallpaper with a damp, sudsy sponge to eliminate tobacco film, handprints and dirt.

- Dust and clean wooden or brick mantles, dining and living room tables and chairs with a cloth slightly dampened with a naturally gentle soap solution.

Clean last winter's soot from chimneys and fireplaces before using them this season.

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The 1993 White House ornament is now available

Now available from the White House Historical Association is the 1993 White House Christmas ornament, which will be hung on the Christmas tree in the Blue Room of the White House during the coming holiday season.

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Ms. Tyler presented the portrait, painted in oil on canvas by Francisco

Anelli, to the White House in 1869, the first portrait of a First Lady to become a part of the White House collection.

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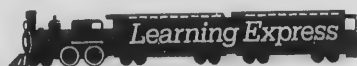
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Mimi Dee adds other artisans' works to her own designs

Mimi Dee of Mimi Dee Artwear Studio in Methuen Square is celebrating The Year of the American Craft by adding other artisans' work to her own, including:

Victorian jewelry: Exquisite brooches, earrings, hatpins and chokers by Giselle, a professional model who has turned her art into a full time career.

Porcelain jewelry: Brooches, earrings, hair combs and barrettes by Shelli, a woman who does not let osteogenesis imperfecta stop her. She works for a Fortune 500 company and still finds time and energy to create, paint and fire her soft-toned, signed porcelain pieces.

Children's clothing: Handpainted and signed by Franny, a mother of two who paints whimsical designs, often inspired by her children.

Barrettes: Crocheted by Robert, a man who can crochet anything. Mimi paints and embellishes these with cameos and stones.

Lingerie: Made by Diane, a mother of two who enjoys designing bridal veils also.

Teepees: Brightly colored, great gift ideas for kids, by Lisa, who finds herself creating new ones everyday.

Ms. Dee plans to continue to showcase other artisans whose work she feels will compliment her own by continuing to offer quality, originality and imagination.

For your best gift-giving source, step into Mimi Dee Artwear Studio and find Ms. Dee's own designs, including:

Velvet pouches: Luxuriously painted, great for evening wear!

Velvet vests: Always one of a kind.
Vintage pocketbooks: Painted and embellished with stones, buttons and cameos.

Victorian black leather bracelets: Painted, signed and dated.

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Vintage button brooches: Each a little piece of history.

Vests: Tapestry, reversible, painted, cotton jacquard, lace or corduroy, traditional length and 33-inches long, each different from the next.

Coats: Velvet, velveteen, cotton jacquard, each an individual work of art that can be worn from the mall to the opera, allowing the owner to possess the only one of its kind. Enjoy many years of wear and compliments.

Cardigans: Cotton knits in mint, teal and more. Sweatshirt cardigans in black or white painted in bright, jewel colors or warm, earth tones; cotton cardigans, 36-inches long in clay, natural, berry, ocean blue, sage or white, painted in various colors and designs.

Cruisewear: White tunics, jersey dresses, rompers, short sets, visors painted in happy, vacation colors.

Tops: Doe suede tops that can be worn as shells or layered over silk shirts. These are available in black, sapphire, American beauty, plum, ocean blue or hunter green, each individually painted.

Tuxedo shirts: Painted in teal, sap-

If you can not find it here, ask Mimi to design it for you! One must keep in mind that these art-to-wear pieces are in limited supply due to the time and care that it takes Mimi to design and create each piece.

phire, purple, gold, bronze or any color to compliment hair, skin tone or fashion needs.

Tee shirts: Many colors and designs.

Necklaces: Choose from 27-inch pendants made with various cameos and stones; a must for this season's long tops and skirts. Also in 18-inch and choker styles.

Neckties: Painted. They look great with vests.

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Shirts: Long, tunic styles; great with leggings, in eight delicious colors.

Sweatshirts: Many colors and designs. Also sweatshirt dresses/tunics.

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top/skirt: Available in five colors and designs.

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Cuffs: Sculptured, signed and dated by Mimi.


Earrings: Velvet, tapestry, stones, cameos, dangle, glass beads, all designed to coordinate with Ms. Dee's brooches and clothing.

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Mimi Dee Artwear Studio is fast becoming a gift-giving treasure find. Just a short drive to Methuen Square and you will find why many of Ms. Dee's clients rely on her original clothing and accessories for gift-giving ideas knowing that their friend or loved one will be receiving the only one of its kind.

You can rest assured that Ms. Dee will include complete care instructions and the phone number should any questions arise. Your present, gift wrapped for free, will be opened to reveal a card signed by Ms. Dee. Doesn't that make it more special than opening any other package? Even the most special of specialty stores can not offer this.

Ms. Dee is now available for fashion shows and speaking engagements.



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Tips from the Gadget Guy on buying electronic gizmos

This year the sounds of the holiday season may be supplemented by the buzz, blip, whirr and beep of the latest electronic gizmos.

"Electronic gadgets make great gifts for kids and adults alike because of their long-lasting fun," says Dick DeBartolo, the "Gadget and Gizmo Guy" and recognized electronics device expert of CNBC's *Steals & Deals* and contributing editor to *Mad Magazine*.

He offers the following hints on shopping for electronics today.

Before You Buy:

- Check the ads in this newspaper, store circulars, and any catalogs you may receive in order to compare brands, prices and available features.

- Play the waiting game if you can. Once the new item is available in a number of places, you may be able to find it at a discount.

When You Buy:

- Never leave the store without making sure you have everything you will need to use your device. This may include accessories such as adapters,

cables, batteries, and headphones.

- If you're buying a battery-powered item, check the instructions to see the type, size, and quantity of batteries needed. Long-lasting alkaline batteries are recommended. For better value, look for batteries in multipacks.

Once You Get Home:

- Examine everything in the box to determine that nothing is missing. Accessories may be somewhat hidden in the foam packing, so do a thorough check to see if you have all necessary parts as described on the box or in the

instructions. If something is missing, return the entire device.

- Read the instructions carefully. If you have a question about assembly, you may be able to call the store or manufacturer's helpline for assistance. Don't assume you can assemble or operate the gadget yourself without following all written instructions.

- If you plan to make use of stored or used batteries, check the expiration date and test them.

- When inserting the batteries, make sure you're properly aligning the positive (+) and negative (-) terminals.

Keep your receipts and check the warranty, especially on electronics

For many, the bells of Christmas include the ring of the cash register. If you plan to purchase an electronic product for a family member, friend or yourself, it may pay to heed these helpful hints.

- Always keep your bill of sale as proof of purchase. When you purchase a product, your sales receipt is the proof of how, when and where the sales transaction took place. Remember to hold onto it. Without the receipt, it will be very difficult to get a product fixed or replaced under warranty.

If you are giving the product as a gift, pass along a copy of the receipt to the recipient so he or she can get the necessary coverage on a product if a problem develops.

- Be aware when selecting extended warranty coverage. Before buying, ask

what the warranty includes, and how long the warranty lasts? Does the warranty cover whole products or just parts? When the product is serviced, who pays labor costs? How does the extended warranty relate to the original warranty provided by the manufacturer?

Another issue to keep in mind is who honors the warranty. Some products must be returned directly to the manufacturer for service, while others must be brought to a local authorized servicer.

A non-authorized local service store may be able to fix the particular product, but if they are not authorized by the manufacturer, they may not have access to the manufacturer's technical assistance, training and service manuals. This could lead to further problems.

Give Yourself A Gift: More Time

Like Santa, your busiest time of the year is probably the holidays – you can't afford to forget a gift or miss a delivery. Advance planning and organization are the key to getting it all done. Follow these tips to save time and enjoy a happy and relaxed holiday.

Plan In Advance

- List everything that needs to be done – shopping, decorating, and social obligations – before getting started. Combine or eliminate unnecessary activities.

- Get an overview by jotting all activities on a monthly calendar. Include personal deadlines like mailing holiday cards, shipping packages, etc.

Shop Smart

- Decide what to buy, where to

buy, and how much to spend before shopping. Store information in a notebook or personal organizer for quick reference and notes.

- Beat the crowds by venturing out early. Most stores and malls keep extended holiday hours.

- Gift wrap and delivery services are real time-savers. Retail stores and mail-order catalogs create beautiful packages and guarantee on-time delivery.

Celebrate The Season

- Don't undertake all the decorating, entertaining and shopping tasks alone. Ask friends and family to join in the holiday baking and tree trimming. You'll get more done in less time and have more fun!

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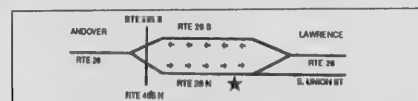
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Get pet's photo with Santa

The Massachusetts Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (MSPCA) shelter will be holding its annual Santa Pet and Christmas Cat Photo Days from 11 a.m.-3 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 5, at the shelter on Route 28 in Methuen.

Photograph your pets - or your kids - with Santa Claus! Or have a photo taken with Katie, the 5 ft. tall MSPCA Christmas Cat!

The cost is a \$5 donation per 3 x 5 photo with \$1 off if you bring warm blankets for the animals! Photos will be available after 10 a.m. the following Tuesday at Scott's Photo Lab, 392 S. Broadway (Rte. 28), Salem, N.H.

Proceeds from Santa Photo Days benefit the MSPCA shelter. Keep your pets safe! All cats

and dogs should be leashed or in pet carriers.

Local businesses that have donated their services to assist the MSPCA shelter in this fund raiser include Rick Gaudet Photography Studios, Methuen; Scott's Photo Lab, Salem, N.H.; and Pepsi-Cola Methuen Bottlers.

One of seven MSPCA facilities statewide, the animal shelter in Methuen received nearly 9,000 animals last year.

The MSPCA receives no state or federal funding and is dependent upon the generosity of its supporters to continue its work.

For more information, please call the MSPCA Animal Shelter, Route 28, Methuen, at 508-687-7453 from 10 a.m.-4 pm Tuesday-Saturday.

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A boy and his beagle, and Santa.

Hope for homeless during holidays

There's no place like home for the holidays - unless you're homeless. The only glimpse of presents the homeless will see won't be around the tree, but through a storefront window.

What gift can you give a homeless man, woman or child? The International

Union of Gospel Missions, with more than 240 rescue missions around the country, offers the following tips.

• Don't give money hand-outs. Instead, give a donation to the local mission or other agencies serving the homeless and refer the homeless per-

son to that mission.

• Food, such as sugar, coffee and canned items including meat, soups and stew, are in short supply at most missions. Fast food or grocery certificates also can be donated to the mission to distribute to needy people.

• Clothing, such as jackets, sweat-shirts, new underwear and knit hats are needed for men and women.

• Because there are more homeless children, there is a need for baby food and formula, disposable diapers, clothing and blankets.

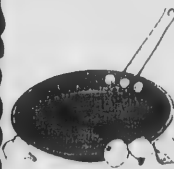
• Children dream of toys such as dolls and trucks. New games and toys can be dropped off at a local mission.

• Soap, shampoo, toothpaste, hair-brushes and combs, and cologne or shaving lotion are always welcome.

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Look to the stars for heavenly holiday gift ideas

If shopping for the perfect gift puts you in a "holidaze," have some fun with the sun signs.

Aries the Ram (March 21-April 20)

Aries loves to make you happy and is known as a great gift-giver. With a strong interest in the creative arts, the Ram might enjoy porcelain Christmas dolls and collectibles. Also, Rams love red - wrap them in holiday plaid robes and PJs.

Taurus the Bull (April 21-May 21)

Don't disturb the peace of the Bull. Their holidays are spent with family and friends. Go nostalgic with a throw - a cozy stay-at-home idea. Or suit the Bull's warm and playful sense of humor with a fun phone in crazy shapes: a space ship or motorcycle.

Gemini the Twins (May 22-June 21)

The "two good to be true" sign favors gifts of romance. A silver-plated vanity and make-up brush set or a crystal ornament will fill her heart with the spirit of giving. Or suit the Gemini's inquisitive mind with the newest talking jigsaw puzzles.

Cancer the Crab (June 22-July 23)

Often a collector of antiques and treasures, your Cancer connoisseur will love an autographed Dallas Cow-

Mysterious and intense, passionate Scorpios have a strong sense of who they are and where they're going. The naughty-but-nice side will love boxers in sexy silks or cozy flannel. Pair a denim nightshirt with matching boxers for stay-at-home romantics.

boys' football jacket or an official coaches jacket. For Cancer ladies, nothing is too good for the family. Set her table with collectible holiday dinnerware, to be added to and passed on for generations.

Leo the Lion (July 24-August 23)

Kings and queens of the throne, royal Leos love gifts for the family. For the living room, give a matching hand-quilted throw, tree skirt or stocking and pillow in a colorful holiday print.

Or, for the musically inclined family, follow the bouncing ball with a Karaoke system.

Virgo the Virginal (August 24-September 23)

The practical perfectionist, Virgos on the Christmas list will appreciate the fashion and function of a time-honored crystal clock.

Libra the Scales (September 24-October 23)

Librans are looking for the perfect blend of harmony this holiday season. Mixed-to-be-matched gift baskets of both products ease the body, mind and soul. Libras tip the scales in the sentiment department - try a keepsake limited edition porcelain doll.

Scorpio the Scorpion (October 24-November 23)

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Sagittarius the Archer (November 23-December 31)

The archer thinks with the heart. A secret romantic, Sagittarians will love collectible crystal and silver-plated hol-

iday ornaments to treasure season after season. Always with a crowd in tow, the Sag at the helm will be leading the cheers, so get in the spirit with favorite college and pro-sports team garb.

Capricorn the Goat (December 22-January 20)

Capricorn likes to put the star on top of the tree. The goat calls all the plays - score with a college jacket. Little Caps are likely to lead the group in song and they'll love the toys and apparel from the purple dinosaur collection. His purple highness will entertain creative Caps long after the holidays.

Aquarius the Water Bearer (January 21-February 19)

Experimental and curious Aquarians live for the fun of it all. Tune into their love of music and inherent sense of fancy with a motorcycle-radio. Or try a '57 Chevy cassette player for a ride on the wild side.

Pisces the Fish (February 20-March 20)

Young Pisces will drop hints, so listen carefully! The free-spirited little fish has an insatiable love of adventure. The big fish enjoys the outdoors - fit him with rough-and-rugged flannel shirts and a goose-down parka.

Cookware and utensils for healthy cooking make great holiday gifts for family and friends

A holiday feast that's healthful may be one of the best gifts you can give your loved ones this Yuletide season.

Many cooks who care about the health of their loved ones are starting a new holiday tradition, replacing the

fatty ham and roast goose of Christmases past with a holiday dinner where heart-healthy fish, pasta, fruits and vegetables take center stage. Healthy cooking methods for holiday meals include roasting, baking, brais-

ing, stewing, poaching, grilling, boiling, sauteing, stir-frying, microwaving and steaming.

Great holiday gifts for yourself or a favorite cook could be utensils and cookware designed to keep healthy

foods crispy, colorful and calorie-reduced and make meals easy to prepare. An array of peelers, slicers, juicers, steamers, wok sets and other items can turn ordinary produce into an art form.



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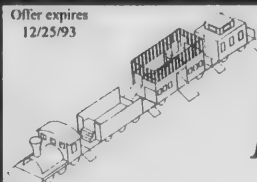


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Some Christmas cards provide more than holiday cheer

There's no place like home for the holidays, and thousands of people have reached into their hearts to make a home away from home possible for millions of family members.

Buying holiday cards from a Ronald McDonald House is one way they've helped provide lodging for families visiting their hospitalized children nearby. Some 1.5 million families have benefited from this service during the past 20 years.

The festive, colorful cards sell for \$25 for a box of 25. Of that amount, \$10

goes towards the Ronald McDonald House of the buyer's choice.

This year's designs include two evocative Yuletide scenes, "The Skating Pond" and "Winter Snowfall." The third card features children at play, and the fourth an ornament reflecting the white dove of peace.

Each card carries the Ronald McDonald House message on the back.

On any given night, 2,400 families throughout the world bed down in a Ronald McDonald House. Instead of sleeping on hospital chairs or in imper-

sonal hotel rooms, they find comfort and companionship with other families staying there.

Since first being introduced, Ronald McDonald House holiday cards have grown more popular each year. In 1974, when there was but one Ronald McDonald House, 300 cards were sold. Last year more than 100 houses sold 125,000 cards. This year the houses are hoping to sell 150,000 cards.

Cards can be ordered by calling 1-800-9RONALD or by contacting a local Ronald McDonald House directly.

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Pens make great gifts for friends

For many people, shopping for the perfect gift is like searching for the Holy Grail - a never-ending experience.

The best gifts are proven favorites, or classics, enhanced with a personal touch.

Writing instruments are among the most popular gifts. They're appropriate for every age and occasion, available in many colors and finishes, and cost a little or a lot. They're also useful.

Here are some tips for making the gift of a fine writing instrument even more special:

- Engraving is the simplest way to personalize a writing instrument. Choose script for a romantic personality; block letters for the born leader.

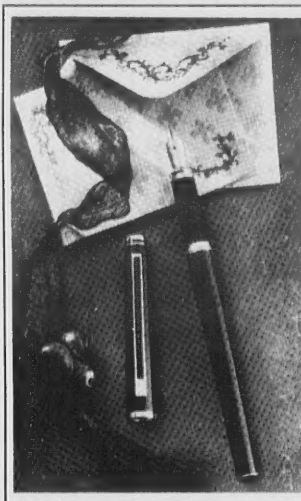
- Include a box of stationery, with envelopes already stamped, with an engraved fountain pen.

- Send a new pen to a friend or relative and ask him to list an event he would like to attend. Follow up with tickets to that event.

- Imagine how touched your aunt will be when she receives a gold pen and your promise to write every month.

- Give the harried individual in your life a personalized note pad and pencil for weekly "to dos."

- Who doesn't get tired of all the scratched out numbers and addresses that pile up in an address book? Buy a new address book and writing instrument for a friend. Make sure the giver's name is included in the book.



With these greeting cards you save lives

St. Jude Children's Research Hospital in Memphis is offering a special holiday greeting card designed by one of its cancer patients, 16-year-old Kasey Crittenden.

The 1993 holiday card features an illustration of a child opening presents under a Christmas tree, and hanging over the fireplace is a sign that says, "St. Jude Cares."

Sales of these cards help to fund research and enable children without medical insurance to receive cancer treatment free of charge at St. Jude.

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Decorate your home safely this holiday season

Twinkling lights, the fragrant smell of evergreen, and colorfully gift-wrapped packages are all reminders that the holiday season is near and merrymakers will soon be retrieving holiday decorations from storage.

The joy of the season, however, can be lost by home fires that may occur during the holidays.

Keep your holidays merry this year by following the seasonal safety tips recommended by the experts at Underwriters Laboratories Inc. (UL), the organization that has evaluated products to nationally recognized standards for risk of fire and electrical shock hazard for nearly 100 years.

- Look for the UL mark on the light strings and electrical holiday decorations you purchase.

The UL mark means that representative samples of the strings and decorations have been tested to nationally recognized safety standards and that UL field representatives conduct routine, unannounced follow-up evaluations at factories worldwide to countercheck that samples of the product continue to meet these safety requirements.

- Follow and keep the manufacturer's instructions that accompany your electrical holiday decorations for the safe use of the products.

- Keep all electrical decorations out

of the reach of children.

- Follow the warning markings on the light strings. Use the light strings with green UL labels marked "For Indoor Use" indoors only. Light strings with red UL labels marked for outdoor use may be used both indoors and outdoors.

- Replace any light sets that have broken or cracked sockets, frayed wires or loose connections. Remember to unplug any string before replacing lights or fuses.

- Never try to shorten, lengthen, or splice light strings. Be careful not to damage wire insulation when installing decorative light strings.

- Use no more than three light sets

on one extension cord. Do not run cords under rugs. Cords that are covered may overheat and cause a fire.

- Do not overload electrical outlets with too many decorative lights or light strings.

- Turn off all light strings and electrical decorations before leaving the house or going to bed.

- If you purchase an artificial tree, make sure it's fire resistant.

- Live trees should be fresh with green needles. Keep the tree-base holder filled with water at all times.

- Keep the tree away from heat sources where it can ignite: a fireplace, radiator, etc.

Eat smart and exercise more for holidays

The average American gains eight pounds during the holiday season leading to the most common New Year's resolution - to lose weight/get in shape. By following some simple guidelines, you can enjoy the festivities of holiday time without guilt or weight gain.

- Incorporate physical activity into your holiday traditions. In addition to baking cookies, why not have a family ice skating outing? An hour of brisk skating burns 400 calories, which is equivalent to two 4-oz. servings of egg nog.

- Consider a membership to a fitness club as a gift for yourself or some-

*Compensate for less
than ideal food choices
with extra physical
activity.*

one special on your Christmas list. Schedule work-out time into your busy calendar. Exercise is also a great way to reduce the stress of the hectic holiday season.

- Add extra steps wherever possible. When shopping for holiday gifts, park

at the far end of the lot, and take the stairs rather than the elevator.

- Make smart food choices. Enjoy holiday parties without completely blowing your diet by choosing low fat snacks. Bring low fat goodies to holiday parties, and earn the reputation as a gracious guest while salvaging your diet.

- Compensate for less than ideal food choices with extra physical activity. If you know that you will be facing too many tempting treats to pass up, plan accordingly. Spend an extra twenty minutes working out each day to compensate for a more liberal caloric intake.

Tips to cut out fat

- Spice up the season with freshly made or purchased Tex-Mex-style salsa for dips. You'll add a no-fat spice to the occasion.

- Spread the fat thinly when creating dips and spreads. Substitute part-skim ricotta cheese, low-calorie Neufchatel or low-fat Farmer's Cheese in place of high-fat cream cheese, sour cream and mayonnaise.

- Start your holiday meals with a low-fat hearty soup choice.

- Emphasize distinctive flavors to satisfy holiday taste buds. Garlic, soy, fresh herbs, chiles and lemon juice are all ingredients that add taste without adding fat.

- Use cooking oils sparingly.

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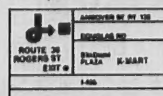
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styling. The 300CE Cabriolet has the solid feel of a closed car. That is because its floor, transmission tunnel,



The 1994 Mercedes-Benz 300CE Cabriolet

structure around the doors, front windshield and convertible top storage area are all specifically designed to provide extra rigidity, and a cast-aluminum brace runs behind the instrument panel to further strengthen the dashboard area.

The 300CE uses innovative vibration dampers in the engine compartment, the trunk and the windshield frame to

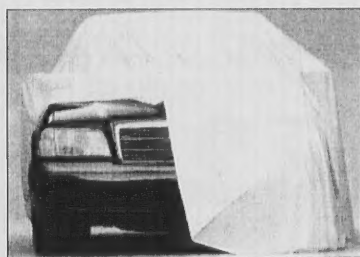
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